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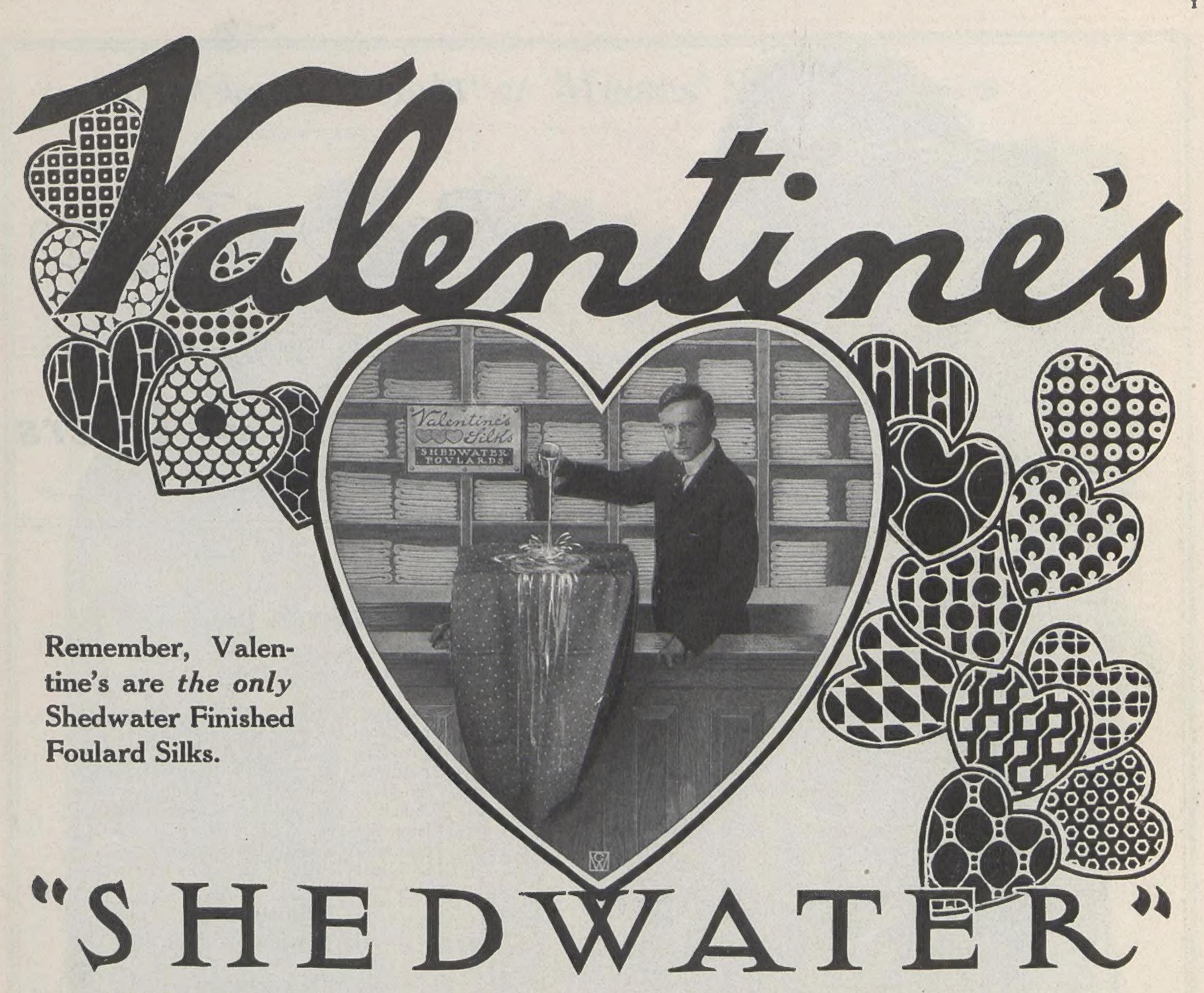
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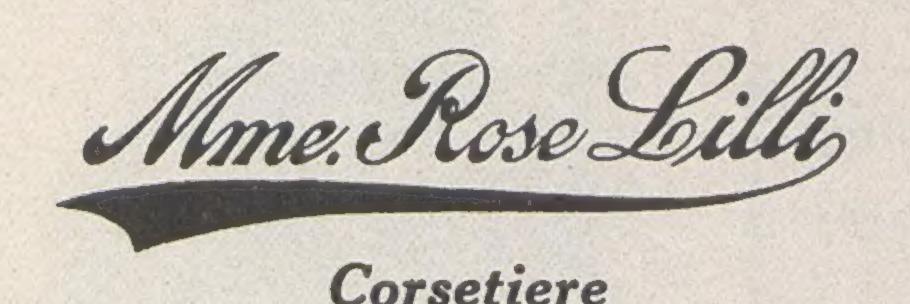
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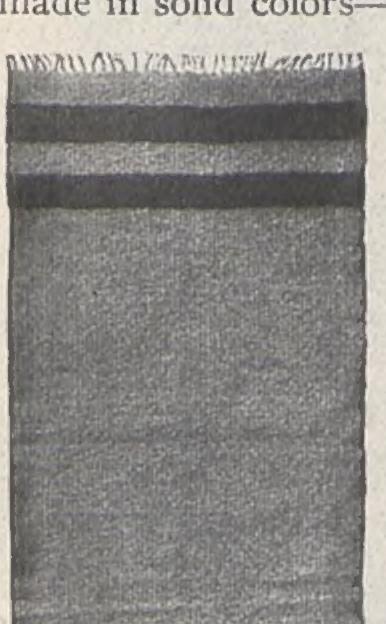
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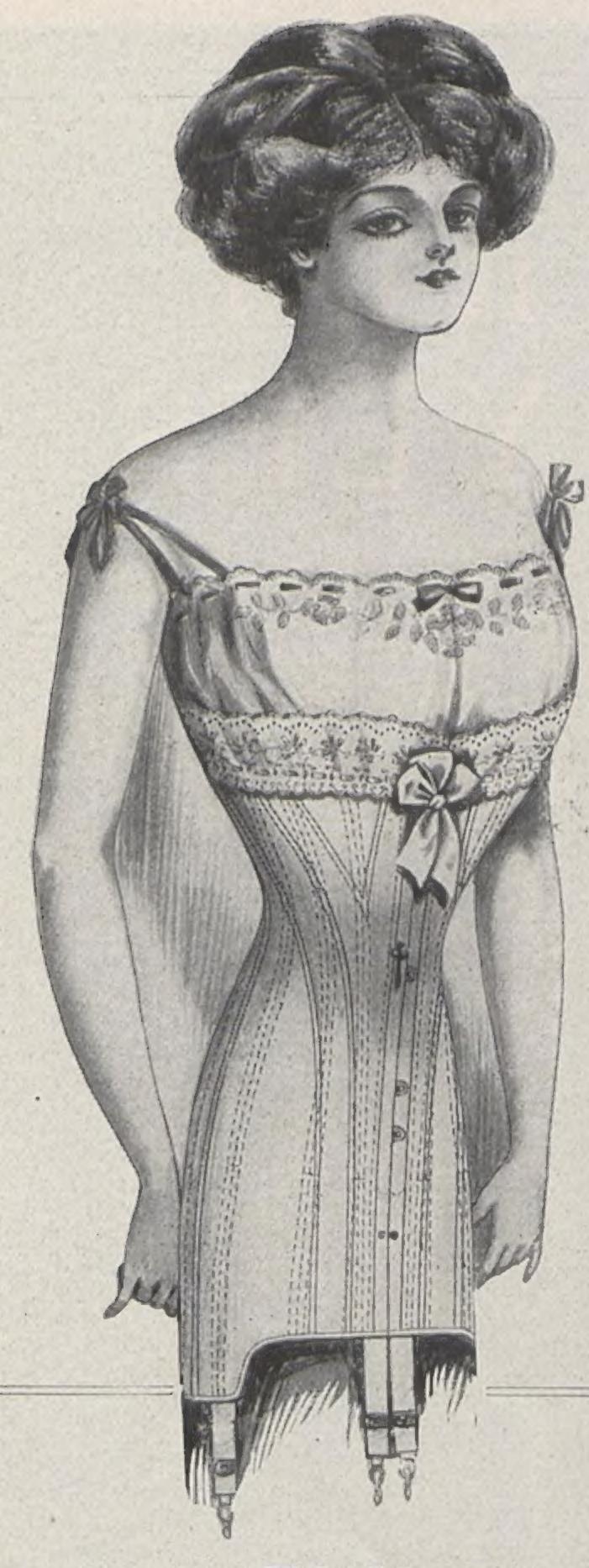
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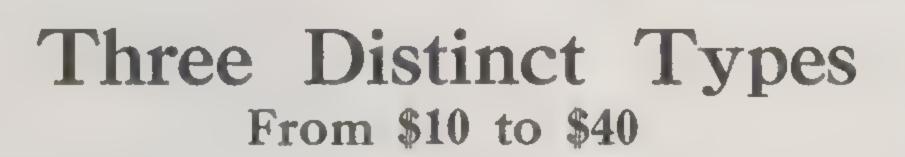
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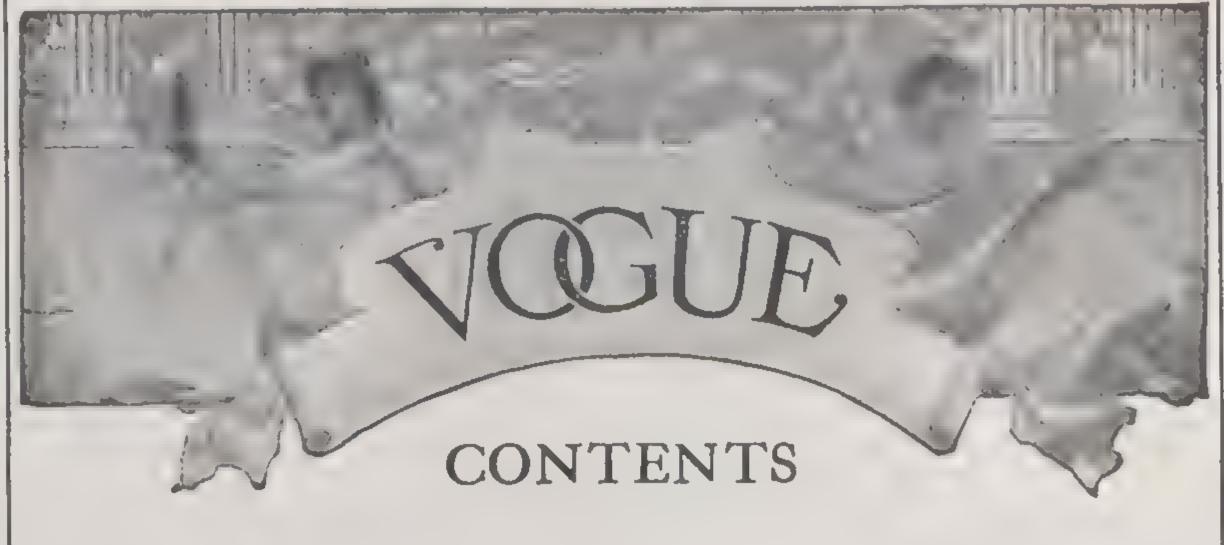
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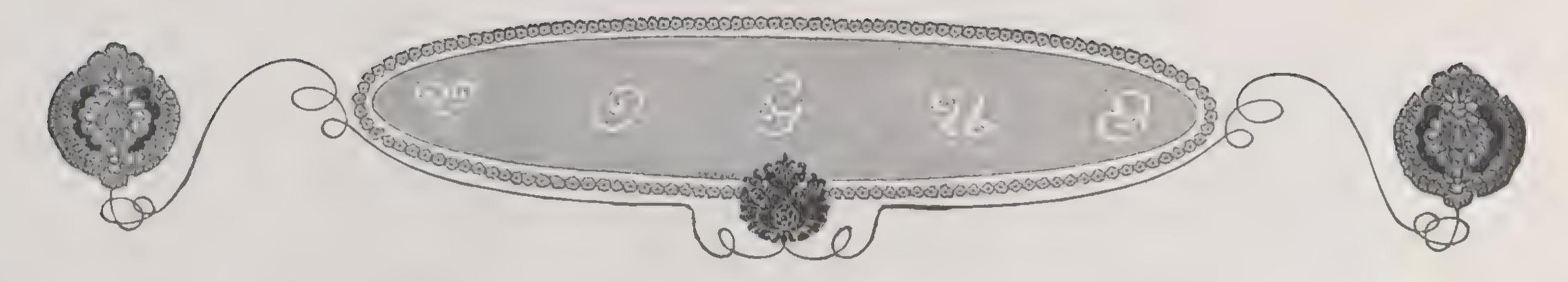
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A new material, named changeable serge chiffon, exquisitely thin and delicately twilled, comes in all colors. Exactly matching it in its color shadings are softest taffetas to be used for the foundation robe and for trimmings. Exquisite in design, as well as in color, are silks copied from museum-pieces. So marvellously are these achieved, so dim their coloring, so delicate their texture that one fears too rough handling will destroy them immediately.

A quite new effect is given to silk voiles, crepes, and other silk tissues, by a crepon finish, on some the ripple is as deeply cut as that on English mourning crepe. On silk gauzes and other diaphanous fabrics, it is lightly cut but prominent to the eye.

Fine woolen materials, for spring walking and traveling costumes, show the crepon and twilled effects as well as different variety of basket weaves. If woven plain, long hairs are thrown up, or roughened threads and tiny knots ripple the surface. While mostly in adorable, low-toned colors pale shades of khaki, deep creams, ecru, and sand shades, there is now and then a hint at gayety in a few bright tones of old rose, French blue, and an odd brick red. Bleu corbeau appears in all materials, with pastel, and Nattier blue, and the usual practical shades of marine blue. Under the generic name of foulard are twilled silks, thick, and thin, like the old fashioned surahs—in fact they are surahs. Generally the design is large and set far apart; often a border accompanies a dress length, or is woven at one side of the breadth. Rather ugly, I think, these borders; in their crude colors and conventional designs, in strange contrast to the low tones of the material itself. Twilled silks in an endless variety of design, in plain shades of color, and in the useful black and white promise a vogue no less popular than the last year's rage for Tussahs; a rage that has in no wise diminished. The new Tussahs are truly lovely in all sorts of fascinating weaves, rough and smooth, and in every shade of color.

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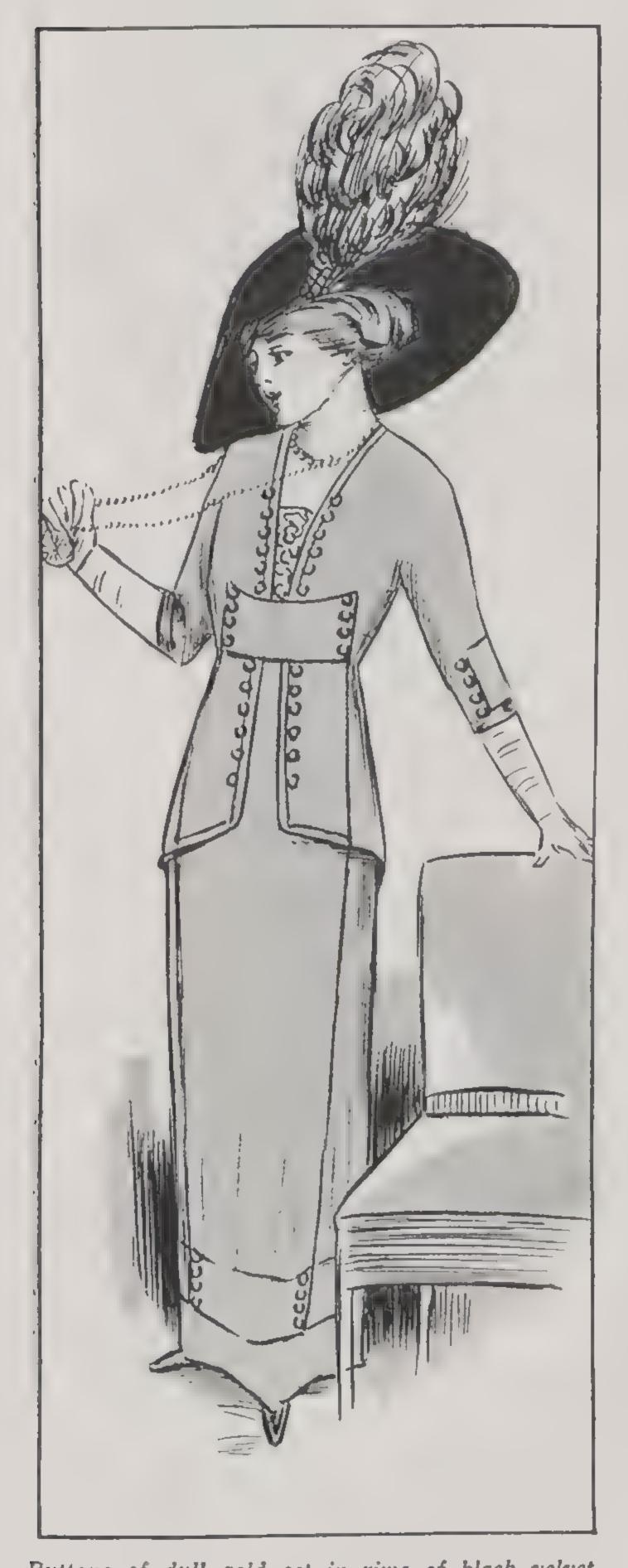
Less loosely fitted than last year, new coats and corsages demand a new cut of corset. The waist is more slenderly defined, the bust lower, and the hips appear more prominent. For dressy occasions the one piece gown is still in favor; generally it is achieved by a separate skirt and corsage, joined by a belt of matching color. In short, it is the "dress" of a dozen years ago. In tailored costumes, short coats accompany short skirts. Cut fuller than last season, they are even shorter, leaving exposed the whole of the foot. Consequently with smart women the dressing of the feet is a matter of importance. The coquettish Richelieu shoe, of black varnished leather is liked; so pretty with its two, or three, crossing straps and jewelled buttons.

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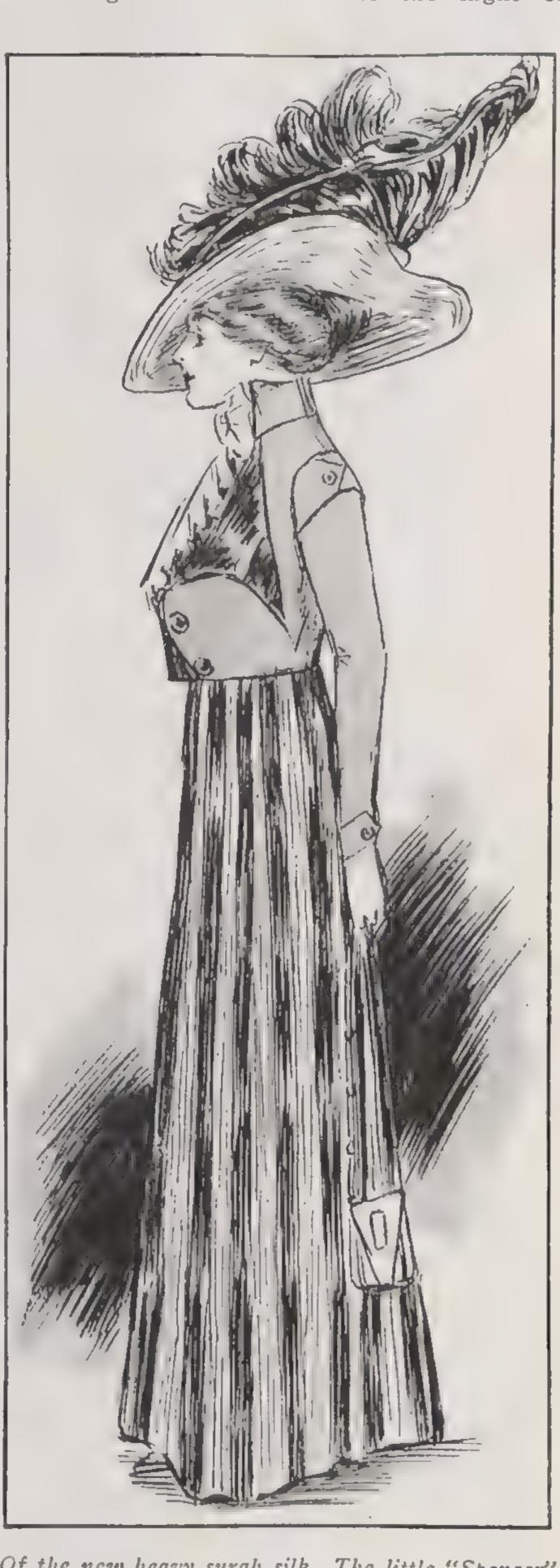
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Lace, especially the thin laces like Chantilly, Mechlin and Alencon, promises a new

vogue. It will compose whole gowns; wide flounces of it will trim skirts of the pretty changeable silks and drape the corsage, fichu fashion. Ancient lace shawls, and separate motifs, that have lain undisturbed in hidden boxes and drawers of old bureaus, will be taken out and used once more; the shawls as draperies, and the motifs to adorn the corsage and to trim summer hats. New hats designed for Monte Carlo, that spells summer to the rest of the world, are composed of white, black or colored Chantilly lace. Faced with black velvet and trimmed with matching aigrettes, and immense tulle choux, they are charming. With these hats the hight of



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Chantilly lace is dyed in all shades to match a costume, to use as trimming, and for veils, guimpes, and under sleeves, replacing those of mousseline de soie so long in favor. Often, it is far prettier than mousseline de soie, especially when laid over colored linings, or over toile de Jouy; the figures of the lace seem oddly a part of the design.

SMART HATS

At Demiliere's of the Rue Royal, I was permitted a peep at some new hats just before being boxed for their journey southward. Enchanting in freshness and beauty was a Louis xv shape covered smoothly with Pompadour flowered silk, its broad brim was edged two inches wide and faced with Italian straw; small pale roses set in zig-zag fashion circled the large, high crown; from the back of it, held there by the up-turning brim, rose a great bunch of herons feathers.

Immensely chic for morning wear was a hat of string colored tagal straw. Large and flat brimmed, it was posed to shadow the eyes, completely covering the forehead. Black mousseline de soie faced the brim, a wide

band of black moire trimmed it, twisting at the back into a wide spreading bow; sewed to the edge of the circling silk band, lying flat on the brim, fell a three inch. fringe of black jet. At another smart house I admired a large hat covered with fine figured toile de Jouy, it was faced with gray straw that turned over on to the outside, forming a border two inches wide; a wider band of straw circled the crown, ending under a swagger bow of wide, black velvet ribbon.

THE SPENCER ILLUSTRATED

It is not likely that the blouse of white linen and lingerie will ever be supplanted for summer wear; but for tailored costumes for the spring time, are blouses of soft, twilled surah silks, woven in small conventional figures on a foundation matching the color of the costume. While examining new silks in a great wholesale house, I was struck with the beauty of a dark blue surah showing small, close set designs in pale green shades to be used for blouses.

I have seen new, tight fitting coats with deep basques, either flaring a little, or laid in flat phits merely pressed. These are belted, showing the latest line, dropping a little—not conspicuously—lower in front. Extremely smart is the little "Spencer" shown in the drawing. With its important neck finish; its Directoire collar and big revers; its folded stock and huge jabot, it ends meekly at the natural waist line. It is made of the new black surah silk—especially woven in a heavy quality for tailored costumes—and collar and cuffs are faced with satin. (See illustration.)

DARK SILK COSTUME

The tailored costume shown in the second sketch is of silk also; a dark blue silk, woven to resemble silk Jersey material. There is a tiny waistcoat and inside sleeve extensions of black satin; a narrow belt of black varnished leather passes under the back piece, decorated in a line with the belt, with buttons of old tarnished silver.

Resembling wool a few paces distant, but really of soft black silk woven with rather a large cord, running from selvage to selvage; is the material that goes into the composition of the third sketch. The tiny empiecement and extension cuffs are of gold and blue brocade faintly mingled with gold threads; the buttons are of dull gold sunken inside rims of black velvet.

AFTERNOON GOWN IN CHANGEABLE EFFECTS

The last sketch shows an afternoon calling dress of changeable blue and green silk voile, trimmed with changeable taffetas of the exact shades; indeed, at present, I am told, these two materials can only be bought together, as they are woven to match. Green ribbon threads the narrow belt of black satin, and ties in a small square bow in the middle of the back. Tiny silk folds edge the scalloped bands held by black satin covered buttons.

Of the heavy corded silk, already described, I have seen a Paul Poiret street gown. The coat was lined with pale coral silk laid under black spotted, ecru gauze, and trimmed with an embroidery of black silk and jet.

New and fascinating, is a neck piece of soft black satin, scarcely thicker than mousseline de soie; a wide wrinkling band of it circles the throat fastening at one side under a great chou, two ends of equal length fall over the shoulders; one, the longest, reaches to the knees; the other falls below the waist line at the back; each one is finished and weighted with a full chou.

NEW ADJUSTMENT FOR WEDDING VEIL

At a recent grand wedding the veil of splendidly wrought lace, adjusted in quite a new manner, proved most becoming. Laid softly over the small head, the hair dressed to puff a bit at the sides, the scalloped edge shaded bewitchingly the forehead and ears, the veil then fell gently back to cover the train with its exquisite folds; it formed all the ornamentation of the wedding gown, made of filmy white stuff, shirred, frilled and puffed.

MODEL FOR DRESS OCCASIONS

There is every indication that robes de style will control the modes for evening and dressy afternoon costumes; simply made, without exaggerations, they will be more suggestions of certain periods, mainly these of Louis xv, and Louis xvi and the second Empire, than actual copies of them. Skirts, short and long, will hang in straight, loosely falling breadths. If not less trimmed, they promise to be less tortured in outline, than those of the last several months.

THE SILK TAILOR MADE

A bride of a fortnight ago appeared one afternoon in a tailored costume of the new black silk that so closely resembles the Bedford cord weave. Thick and heavy, it is admirably suited to the purposes of street wear. The short skirt wonderfully hung, flared a little at the hem; it was kept in place by the petticoat worn with it, made of soft black satin, in quite a new fashion, being loaded with frilled and plaited trimmings from the knees. Hanging over all is a deep fringe made of fine silk tape. Extremely swagger, the short coat of this costume showed pleasing new features, cut to fit easily with but three seams, one under each arm, one in the middle of the back, it lengthened ever so little towards the front, clasping the waist closely at a round line; a narrow belt of black varnished leather fastened in front with a buckle of jet and steel; over it the single breasted front bloused a bit and closed to the bust; the space above was filled with a lace jabot embroidered in silver. A dashing toilette for a pretty woman.

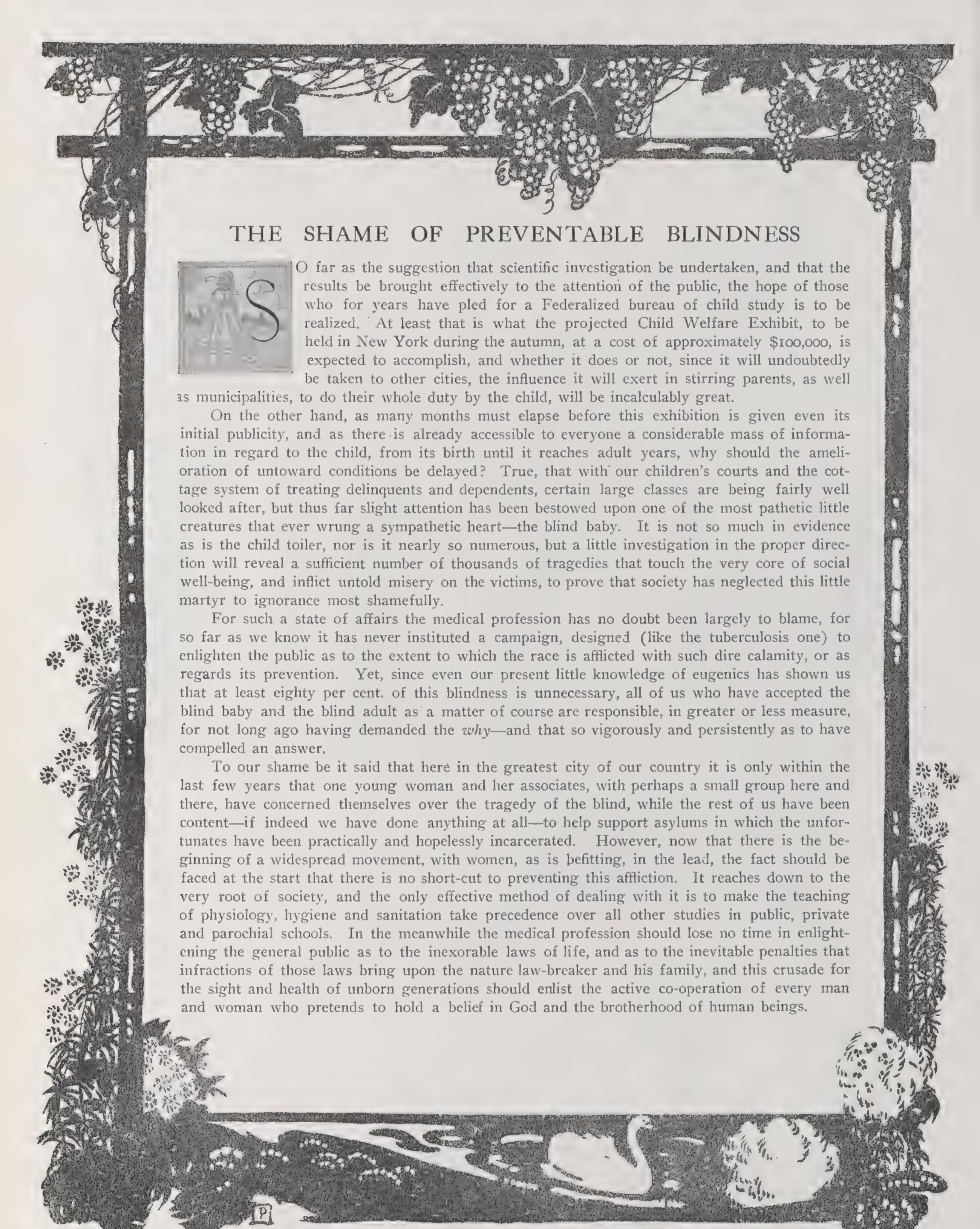


Tailored suit of silk in a weave that is like silk Jersey material



CHARMING EVENING GOWNS OF EXQUISITE FABRICS

Left Figure—Gown of Nile green moiré with upper bodice and sleeves of bead embroidery. Middle Figure—Frock of striped chiffon with shoulder straps of rhinestones. Right Figure—White charmeuse with bodice and skirt panels embroidered in bronze. Transparent sleeves of white tulle veil the arms loosely and end at the elbow.



ASEENBY HIM

The Time Between the Seasons—Lack of Personality in New York—Mere Vulgar Shams of Wickedness—Some International Matches of this Season

HIS is the time which is known abroad as "between the seasons". It is a period in which we revert to our old nomadic tendencies, inherent through ages of civilization, and it is above all an uncomfortable time. If we go abroad, we find ourselves puzzled as to where to pitch our tent, for while Easter is delightful in the Riviera and in Italy it turns dusty and hot almost immediately afterward, and it is a bit too early for London or Paris and too late for Egypt. Our own Southland is most agreeable during the last weeks of February, and the first few days of March, but by the middle of the month, Florida becomes unbearable and then there is nothing left for us but to make our way slowly home, stopping at Washington, Fortress Monroe, or the Hot Springs en route.

New York claims to have a spring season, but it is a delusion and a snare. There are some weddings, charitable entertainments and the races; after which the town empties rapidly, and unless we have some definite object, or plan of work, it gets on our nerves. There is so little to do for a man who has no occupation. Of course the majority of men nowa-days are engaged in one thing, or the other, so that the drones are few, but the latter have not been altogether expelled from the hive, and moreover we have tickers in our clubs, in our hotels, in our theatres, and in our very homes, so that we do not need to journey to the narrow lane guarded by Trinity church and its damp green yard of mouldering gravestones. At the matinee, the men almost outnumber the women, and though among the well dressed crowd one sees few, if any, persons one knows, there must be a large leisure class somewhere outside of the great orbit around which revolves each little particular fashionable set.

WE EAT, DRINK AND PAY BY NUMBER

Those New Yorkers who go abroad each year always complain bitterly when they come home at certain provincial abuses which seem to become more marked as the town grows more cosmopolitan, and yet they are all glad to get back to their native shores. Indeed they are usually the most discontented lot one meets on the continent, or in Great Britain. Nevertheless they have some reason to say that when they reach New York they lose all personality and become mere numbers in the public eye-figures in some vast sum. For instance, at the best restaurants—and these, with three exceptions, form part of popular hotels-no matter what tribute one pays the maitre d'hotel, one is forgotten almost immediately. In other days, when the Waldorf-Astoria was a novelty, the immortal Oscar introduced the European system of greeting patrons by name, and bustling about attending to their personal wants, and this in turn was taken up by all the restaurants, but of late it has fallen into innocuous desuetude, the head waiter, or maitre d'hotel, of this generation

being a mere lofty, smiling automaton. He is like a slot machine, and to get anything at all out of him one must immediately drop in one's coin. One of the most popular places for supper in New York is the unventilated cellar of a Broadway hotel, and yet to get a table there one must engage it at least a week in advance, and give a large pourboire. And then one must fee again on the evening of one's visit, and tip one's own waiter, and, it may be, the leader of the orchestra if he honors one with a personal visit, or sends a message to ask what one would like to have played. "The Serenade from Les Contes d'Hoffman," or "Rings on her fingers and bells on her toes;" "the Rosary;" "the Cavaleria Intermezzo;" the "Dollar Princess;" "Glowworm," or the Neapolitan songs—they are all ready, just like the batter used for griddle cakes at cheap restaurants-and the chef immediately turns up the orchestral fire and sets about frying the tune for you. Sometimes a placard bearing the words "By Request" is exhibited, and then the leader bows at you and the audience is supposed to gaze at you, and you send a five dollar bill to the obliging conductor, who pockets it, and at once begins looking around for other victims. Otherwise, you are a number at a numbered table, with a numbered waiter and a num-'bered menu, and if you halt at all in expenditure, you are expected to leave and other people are crowded into your places.

THE CRY FOR AMUSEMENT

In spite of it all many of us spend most of our time in hotels. We close our houses and live in expensive suites. We breakfast, take tea, dine and sup in restaurants, and whenever we can we escape to the country. We make our stay in New York as short as possible, and we can hardly say that we are ever "in residence". The Merry Widow has been responsible for a chain of American Maxims, where there is no spontaneous gayety, and there we see the same class of characters always-persons legally attached supping with other persons legally attached, and all unattached to each other. The number of old men and artificial women, with frayed frocks and preposterous hats is appalling, and I suppose it is all quite wicked, but I sometimes have a lurking suspicion that these figure heads are thespians out of work, hired to do character parts. At one of the Cafes Concerts in Paris—indeed we have had it here this winter—there is a clever act in which a party of Americans and English go slumming, and are taken by their guide into a seemingly disreputable tavern, in a noisome quarter of Paris, where they witness the Apache dance. Then the lights are turned out, there is a fight and a dancer is stabbed, and when the foreigners have fled in dismay, the lights are turned on again, and the murderers and murdered get together and count the spoils.

However I must protest at taking respectable women into some of these places in our city. I often receive telephone messages asking me to find some new place to dine or sup that may be "amusing", but, for my part, I find "amusing" places quite boring; and as they are all shams, and vulgar ones at that, I cannot see how people can enjoy going to them. Sometimes there is local color abroad, but in New York there is none—simply a bad dinner or supper, at a preposterous price; atrocious music, and women and men sitting around drinking, and smoking vile cigarettes. Perhaps I am growing old.

INTERNATIONAL WEDDING BELLS

Spring will bring us several important weddings, and naturally everyone is most interested in that of Miss Marjorie Gould and Anthony Drexel, Jr., which has been the main subject of Sunday newspapers and pictorial supplements, for weeks. Of course a church ceremony is essential for such an event, and the nuptials will take place at St. Bartholomew's-the Vanderbilt shrine-on April 19th. The Anthony Drexels are coming to America for the event, and Miss Margaretta Drexel, who is to be one of the bridesmaids, will bring over her future husband, the Viscount Maidstone. The first Drawing Room has already taken place, but the young Mrs. Drexel will be presented sometime in June, and I presume that they will live abroad.

Another interesting wedding will be that of Miss Harriot Daly, the daughter of Mrs. Marcus Daly, to Count Anton Sigray, who arrived in this country recently. This is to take place after Easter—at least so run the present plans—although I have heard that it may be celebrated quietly during March; and owing to difference of religious faith, the ceremony will be held at the Daly residence in Fifth Avenue.

A third international match that has just been announced, is that of Miss Mildred Carter, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ridgely Carter, and Viscount Acheson, son and heir of the Earl of Gosford. Miss Carter will be remembered by many in Washington and New York as one of the handsome debutantes of three years ago, and her father John Ridgely Carter is a Baltimore man of famous ancestry. He was First Secretary of the American Embassy in London, and is now Minister to Rumania. Miss Carter has been so much admired in London that it seemed a fait accompli that she would make a titled match abroad.

Viscount Acheson, who has visited America on several occasions, is quite a hero, having been wounded in the South African War. He is a lieutenant in the Coldstream Guards, and will be an Earl on the death of his father. His mother was a daughter of the seventh Duke of Manchester, so that he is a cousin of the present Duke, and his sister is the wife of one of the sons of the 1st Earl of Dudley, and a sister-in-law of Mrs. John Ward, who was Miss Jean Templeton Reid, the daughter of Ambassador Reid.



A BANKER OF SMILES

If I knew the place where the joys of life And its smiles were bought and sold, I'd corner that market and buy them in For you to have and to hold! You should be banker of all this wealth,
On condition that once in a while
You'd honor my check for an "I love you,"
And a tender kiss, or a smile!
MAZIE V. CARUTHERS.

THE NOVEL GOWNING IN "MID-CHANNEL"

Dress Review of Pinero's Latest Play—Ethel Barrymore and the Other Women in the Cast Display Some Striking New Models

By Eleanor Raeburn

SUALLY, the opportunities for dress display in Pinero's plays are excellent, and it is gratifying to be able to state that his latest offering produced in New York—"Mid-Channel"—shows no departure from the established standard in that respect. Whatever may be the opinion concerning the merit of the drama, its re-introduction of Ethel Barrymore to the

ciety woman, includes the wearing of good clothes, and is therefore analogous in that regard.

LONG UNBROKEN LINES

The gowns which the star displays in "Mid-Channel" are decidedly novel, if not weird and British in general characteristics, but they are also distinctly individual, and are worn with excellent effect. Skill, would be

> the proper word, for it requires both art and diplomacy to even step in the narrow skirt to the panne gown of royal blue, which she wears in the first act. One pauses at the thought of describing it, for it appeared so seamless, its lines so unbroken by trimming, that one hardly could tell how its several parts were assembled. To start with, the bodice is a loose blouse with the back closing, and is cut with a low round Gretchen neck, finished with a flat lace collar that opens back and front. The same lace forms the upturned cuff to the elbow sleeve, sustained in place by two large blue panne buttons. There is no ceinture, the skirt forming soft drapery lines around the belt, but the blouse at the back is continued down in two long straight pieces, like sash ends, that are lined with white satin, and fall over the skirt threefourths of its length, as a substitute for drapery. A long tablier of the panne forms the front drapery, fastened on the left side. The narrow skirt is finished with a kimono padded roll around the hem. The ornaments worn are a necklace of graduated pearls, and pearl drop ear-rings. Her coiffure is parted on the left side, with some sacrifice of becomingness from the old-time Pompadour, waved softly, and caught at the back with puffs. A large black hat and black fox furs effectively complete Miss Barrymore's costume.



Ethel Barrymore as she appears in the first act of "Mid Channel"

Empire Theatre, invested with the glory of motherhood and with a deepened charm to her acting, has made it the occasion for welcoming back to the stage, after a temporary absence, one of Manhattan's greatest favorites. Her agreeable stage presence, the rich tones of her melodious speaking voice, and her intelligent interpretations of character, are the elements that create always a most delightful impression.

Miss Barrymore has said in one of her interviews since the opening night, that she is first, last, and always an actress, that the microbe of acting has been in her blood, on both sides of the house, for generations and that she wishes to be judged from that standpoint alone—and not as a society woman; but the actress's sphere, like that of the so-

TURQUOISE BLUE VISITING GOWN

This gown is, however, not nearly so striking in style or coloring as that worn by Louise Rutter in the part of Ethel Pierpont, in the same act. A dashing one-piece visiting costume, with a coat en suite, it combines turquoise blue crêpe météore with gray fur. The half-length cutaway coat is trimmed all around with a three-inch border of Australian opossum fur—so fashionable this season—and there is a large muff of the same to correspond. The sleeves of the coat are long, and are embroidered in self-color from top to bottom, giving a charmingly rich effect. This hand embroidery appears also on the corsage. The skirt has a perceptible train, and the tunic is perfectly plain at the back, but the

drapery is caught in a graceful knot on the left side. The large hat is of turquoise velvet, turned up sharply on the outer edge of the brim, and trimmed with gray ostrich feathers.

Another chic costume—for a middle-aged woman—is that worn by Phoebe Coyne as Mrs. Pierpont in the same act. It is delightfully put together, with a medium-length coat, and is a combination of putty-colored broadcloth and skunk bands. There is a toque to match, of cloth and fur, with a panache of heron plumes on one side, and a skunk muff.

THE STUNNING NEGLIGEE

The negligee worn by Miss Barrymore in the second act is a peculiar and rather bizarre combination of colors and materials, and therefore opinions must differ about its effect, as a whole. An artist might be attracted by its extreme beauty, but the lay mind might not be so ready to accept that opinion. Imagine a foundation of old-rose taffetas that is veiled in self-colored marquisette, set on full around the waist to a belt of white Chantilly lace: and a Spanish flounce of this same white Chantilly lace, bordered with a band of the old-rose marquisette, that is joined to this full portion at the knee, to complete the skirt. The full baby waist of the marquisette is set into the top of the lace belt, and has a round lace tucker. The elbow sleeves are of the white lace, finished at the bottom with a full puff of the marquisette, and also with hanging chiffon rose-buds attached to cords, in oldrose and Gobelin blue. Over this marquisette princesse is worn a loose décolletée coat of Gobelin blue Directoire satin, bordered all around its edges with narrow marten bands. A shirring on a heavy cord gives a highwaisted effect at the back, this dull-blue satin cord being brought forward under the fronts, and tied low in the middle-front with a bunch of the dull pink and blue chiffon rose-buds intermingling with its tassels and giving a touch of alluring coquetry. This over-garment is made just as though you might take two straight widths of the satin, hang one over each shoulder, join them together down the middle of the back, add the shirring, the narrow fur bands, and some half-inch strips of blue to hold the skirts together over the hips-three on each side-and there, you have the effect Slippers of matching blue satin are worn, and augment the Frenchiness suggested by the chiffon rosebuds. A note of



The pretty veiled dress of Alice blue worn with a large black tulle hat

contrast, not unpleasing, is afforded by drop ear-rings of emerald and pearl, and a ringsetting of the same jewels.

NEW LINES IN A TAILOR MADE

The tailor-made frock worn by Miss Rutter, in the same act, has many novel features to commend it; and primarily, there is the medium-length coat with its diagonal front closing on the left side. The material is biscuit-colored cloth, and all of the borders to the coat are finished with a flat two-inch band of self-colored satin; large white pearl buttons give style to the closing on the left hip. The back of this coat is unique, because the upper portion is bloused, while the habit coat-skirt fits smoothly, and laps over the fullness with a flat stitching that gives the necessary short-waisted look. The short

ly plain. The hat is commendable for its style, being of the same tint as the gown, and trimmed with a wide binding of castor velvet and folds of the same around the crown. Two widely-spread wings of the same color tipped with green are added with stunning effect.

CHARMING COMBINATION OF WHITE AND BLUE

Miss Barrymore appears in one of the modish veiled gowns in the third act; the white silk foundation being overhung with Alice-blue chiffon-cloth that is deeply bordered on its lower edge with black, and having a border above of festooned large pink roses. This border material forms the deep plaited flounce that finishes the bottom of the skirt, as high as the knee, where it is met by a transverse sash drapery. The full bloused waist is also made of the border intermingled with the plain blue. Inserts of filet lace form the square at the neck, and the sleeves are draped full to the elbow. The rather flat hat of black malines is trimmed with a circle of ostrich feathers.

VERY ODD FRENCH WRAP

Nina Sevening, in this third act, wears some rather interesting garments. Over a very

clinging skirt of white cachemire de soie is hung a close undraped tunic of embroidered Ninon de soie, caught on the left side with large tassels and a knot of the Ninon. The corsage corresponds to the tunic and has a plastron ceinture, with the sleeves and guimpe made in one. She wears a large bunch of violets pinned at the belt, carrying out the note of purple found in the facing to the flat black hat. Of all the queer overgarments ever devised by a French modiste, that little summer wrap that she dons at leaving is the queerest. Made of purple chiffon-cloth embroidered, it is lined with rose-colored chiffoncloth-but it is too cobwebby for warmth, and scarcely worth adding, except as a color adjunct. From the rear it has the effect of a priest's chasuble, and is merely a wide straight piece, doubled over on each side to form a loop for the arms to pass through. A wide band of oxydized silver galoon is placed across the end.

MISS RUTTER'S HANDSOME DRAPED GOWN

In the fourth act, Miss Barrymore's costumes remain the same as in the third, but

in this final scene, Miss Rutter wears the prettiest gown of the play, according to feminine opinion; one that is well worth noting for its graceful draping, and charming color contrasts; as well as for its becomingness to her type of dark eyes and hair, and rosy coloring. It is an afternoon gown, en train, of mustard-colored cachemire de soie—too much



The very unusual color effect of this elaborate negligée is especially becoming to Miss Barrymore's type of beauty

of the green tinting for amber—made in princesse effect, the bodice which overlaps the smoothly fitting skirt being embroidered in a showy and open design of self-color over turquoise-blue satin, the latter brought into definite prominence in the middle front and back, at the belt. The sleeves are also composed of this heavy embroidery, with tucked bands of plain down the middle, on top. The collar and guimpe are of gold net, and a shallow square black peau de soie yoke overlaps this yoke, being in turn overlapped by the embroidered corsage. This mere touch of black is very good with the turquoise and mustard-color. The drapery, however, is the feature. Two long strips of material are attached on either side of the front, cross in the middle-front near the knees, drop to form folds on the sides, cross again in the back, and are brought up and attached to the bodice portion at the sides of the back. It is a gown of rare elegance, and one of the best models possible, of conservative fashion, in the up-to-date draped toilette. This will undoubtedly prove a favorite model to be copied by many admirers in the audience.

HARMONIOUS TOILETTE OF LAVENDER

Miss Coyne's three-piece costume of lavender satin Duchesse, in the same scene is also beautiful, and displays an elaborate ornamentation of solid raised embroidery on the bottom of the semi-fitted coat, on the revers, and on the front of the skirt. Buttons of amethyst and rhinestone are used for the front closing. The hat worn with it is trimmed in purple violets and has a large rosette of lavender malines and pink roses on the side. The color harmony of these two gowns is excellent.

IN FASHION'S WAKE

HE sudden craze for "Chanticler" novelties, since the successful première of Rostand's play of that name in Paris, is apparent on

every side, and especially in the prevalence of a beautiful new shade of red, which is between cerise and scarlet, and is indeed the veritable color that is found in the cock's comb. It has appeared in hat trimmings, in diaphanous scarfs, in neckwear and girdles, in printed chiffons, but especially in parasols. These new red parasols are distinctly fascinating; particularly those that have the long ebony sticks, with a carved bird of some kind for a handle parrot, stork, redwinged black bird, tanager, and best of all, a cock or cock's head, all done in the natural colors. As long as the furore lasts—for it has come with such violence that it may exhaust itself rapidly these red, bird-handled parasols will be much sought after; for being imported novelties, and truly artistic in workmanship, they are not so easy to find. In hatpins also, at present, the Chanticler head is first choice, and disputes supremacy with the garish jeweled ones of large size, apparent on all sides. Mons. Rostand is to be profoundly thanked for having supplied the motif for so many real novelties in his remarkable drama of the barnyard.

Other imported novelties in parasol handles

show that there is a distinct enlargement this season. For instance, those buying a nearly flat round gun-metal top for a handle, discover that it is in reality a vanity box, capable of holding a modest supply of powder and a puff, being fully three inches in diameter. This is an altogether delightful style, for when the curved disk is marked with a monogram cut deep into the dark metal, there is an element of chic about it, truly desirable. Others having a large square top, are made of jade, or lapis lazuli, or malachite or the beautiful Mexican onyx, and sometimes these semiprecious stones are set in a rim of silver or gun-metal, but mostly without the metal. The decorated porcelain ones, in Dresden design, are charming, as also, are those of Japanese bronze and carved ivory. The latter are particularly exquisite, and are a possession which can be removed to a new umbrella indefinitely, because they are genuine objects of art, executed by a master hand in China or Japan. Some of the new handles show the use of the pretty transparent enamels, and others again, the tinted mother-of-pearl, which in blue or green is daintily pretty.



HOW MAKE DRESS A FINE ART?

Indications that Man's Dress is Threatened by Feminization—Showy Articles with Style as Their Only Quality—Our Lack of Nice Discrimination the Root of the Evil—What the Individual May Accomplish

N what direction does our chance of influencing fashions towards a greater artistic expression lie? To start with changes in style are brought about today somewhat differently from ancient times. We have no king to wound his head, as did Francis I, so that he had to crop his hair, causing a fashion that existed among gentlemen until Louis XIII capriciously allowed his to grow in long ringlets, whereupon less favored gentlemen, again in courtier-like imitation, added artificial curl after curl, until the whole perruque came to be considered the proper thing, and men sweated under its weight and carried their hat under the arm. No American President, be he ever so puny, could cause all men to wear high red heels, as did Louis xiv, give him the kingly hight na-

ture denied him; nor could other individual today, by his natural deformity, disease or accident, inaugurate a fashion, as many a king, queen or court beauty or favorite did and impose upon the world patches, hoops, long pointed shoes, strong perfumes and kindred bizarre and curious ! modes.

Gone are the days when each trade, occupation, or profession had its distinctive garb, proudly worn and retained from one generation to another, and it will not be many years before America, typifying commercial and industrial progress, will have shorn the world of its remaining vestiges of ancient national costume. Our men's raiment is utilitarian, practical, masculine, as eminently befits men of affairs and of action. Basically their dress is more worthy than ours because their styles change less often; but even here there are signs to be found in the broad shoe ribbons, the varied patterns, the luxury of undergarments, the increasing complication of toilet accessories, (all laid before the public in the advertising pages of popular magazines, without stint or modesty, and equal in profusion to the similar appeals to women's vanity and luxurious desires) which hint at the possibility that our easily acquired wealth is already bringing about a feminization of men's clothes, that has always come as soon as nations have advanced beyond their strenuous beginnings.

Be this as it may, we find our women's dress distinctly feminine and impersonal, moulded season after season by a brilliant commerce that appeals to

the demands of a large class of women in all our cities, who possessed of whimsical tastes, and opulent purses, lead a life of feverous leisure outside the walls of the home, with no time for the trivialities of the minor domestic arts. Professionals "do up" our homes, buy our pictures, design our

perception of the dignity of class conservatism or of the interest of labor for its own sake, and with the one ideal of making and spending as much money as possible, are satisfied only in copying the richer. This brings about a large demand, legitimately met, of clothes that ape to perfection the general effect of the costlier costumes. As a classthe rich, the comfortably off and the actual worker—we women have placed our confidence to such an extent in this system of supply and demand, that even the price has come to be no guarantee of the excellence of a manufactured article; for so quickly do we intend to discard it, that wearing qualities are the very last we require, forgetting that a certain amount of technical perfection in the weave, the dye, the particular workmanship, whatever it may be, is necessary, not

Three pretty spring morning frocks sketched on the Riviera For "Fashion Descriptions" see page 72

alone for wear but for texual beauty. Thus manufacturers are honestly giving us exactly what we ask for—showy articles that appear to be luxurious and that need no other qualities than style, so that we may cease wearing them shortly after purchase. Anything approaching thrift, or even of mere intrinsic clothes. The poorer, having lost all their worth, is so contrary to our American ideals

that the mere suggestion of any such tendency is to bring down the scorn or amusement of the listener.

At the root of the evil lies the fact that we have become strangely lacking in nice discrimination; we are almost ashamed to look into the essential merit of things. We pride ourselves on our good taste, when it is often but a cloak to critical inertia. Inherent good taste does indeed carry us far in the philosophy of living, but when it comes to art, we find it amounts to very little unless based on knowledge. It is so easy to say, "this seems to me to be good", and very hard to add, even to oneself, "But is it-do I really know that it is, and why?" because once the question is raised, it must be investigated, verified, our attitude changed or modified, and if in the end our amour propre does not actually suffer

by finding itself woefully in the wrong, we have been put to no end of trouble on a matter, which, as the world is today, seems to be of no vital consequence-worse, which lays us open to the stigma of being "too critical" which is socially more damning than being stupid.

Looking over a friend's collection of wedding silver, one was made strikingly aware of this acceptance - of - things - asthey-seem-to-be by a bride of excellent family and personal distinction. With equal contentment and pride she pointed out all the articles, which could be divided into three groups by no means to be taken as equal save on the basis of sterling silver. The first group of the grandmother's wedding silver, hand wrought, most beautiful in proportion and design, and of a weight nicely calculated to its size and service,—in other words, works of art. The next group was the mother's wedding silver, consisting of an endless array of huge articles for breaklast, linner and tea, all as ugly and expensive as the Victorian age could show. The third group consisted of the recently purchased articles, very showy and thin, and having the weight of tin-foil. These objects are as indicative as the first two groups of the generation that produces them. If we compare every object of interior adornment and service, we get the same result. So that, in the effort to discover wherein we may influence American fashions, and in the absence of much to help us in our social conditions, we find

that the personal critical attitude, based upon knowledge, or at least an open investigation, incessant, unblushing, daunted by no pecuniary value, prying into the woof and warp, into every scrap of lace and every button, is the price to be paid to attain a nobler, more individual, more artistic costuming.

MRS. CANDOUR.

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HAND MADE BLOUSES AND A PRETTY FROCK OF RAMIE LINEN

FROM ST. LEON

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Effective combination of black and white

OTH tailors and gown-makers in their own fields are especially considered and catered to in the terials, where texture and color seem to ticipation. There is a decided manifestaferent. For instance, on one side may be small designs, the smaller the better. a dull mauve and white contrasted, on the other a bois de rose, and white reflexion affecting both sides. This chameleon blending of tones marks many of the new silks and remains more fixed than it was

A BEAUTIFUL NEW SILK

foulards we come, finally, to the genuine and below the waist line, without approachsurprise in store. That concerns the very ing to glove-like objectionable moulding of same new silks described, plus a "voile de the form which was at first introduced. soie," which is a new fabric like a chif- One of the charming examples shown by a fon, but having more body, yet very trans- leading maker in town, destined for the parent, and being intended to veil the owner of a Palm Beach villa, had for its foulard. As an example, imagine a fou- foundation a mordoré broché silk, the delard having an old-rose pink satin fitting sign duplicated in two shades of the golden into four-sided figures, formed by the hue. As the skirt hangs in front, it gracewhite satin cubes at the corners, their fully falls into place without strain or short white arms linking one cube to the over-narrowness. The artistic feature is other. Over this surface a Nattier blue the manner in which yards of the same "voile de soie" is laid. In like manner we silk, taken on each side, drape the bodice find a lavender gray foulard, having a half-way, as though by scarfs, each one small white cube with a lavender gray single separated at the top, leaving a V-wedge shot spot let in on one corner, veiled over between, and raised into a broad point on with a lovely shade of pale lilac. A hya- each bust. These points are held in place cinth foulard, same design, has a deep by a large jeweled button, sewed fast to match shade of veiling. A pale turquoise the dull gold lace upper portion of the green foulard has a much darker green bodice, transparently laid over yellow veiling; a medium blue has a dark Admiral mousseline, lined with white. Short sleeves blue veiling. Now and then strong con- of the same lace fit close to the arm, as trasts are enlisted, as a black satin far as the elbow. Taking up the corsage foulard with white cubes, which has a taupe veiling. A bright green silk has a warm shade of wood brown, and there is a gray-brown foulard with white designs that has a dull purplish blue veiling. Great ing the hips, and flowing into a full gracediscretion must naturally be used; if not, ennui ensues. The border foulards retain the same mixture of white and the foundation color, whatever the design may happen to be. Black and white is extremely smart, while reddish chestnut, dull ame- with this over-drapery effect is particularly thyst, royal blue, begonia pink, absinthe becoming on a tall slender figure which

WHATSHEWEARS

Glorified Foulards to the Fore—Coats in Varied Styles and Lengths, All with Shortening Tendencies—Rumors of an Eton Revival—Overskirts that Drape the Bodice—The Wound-About Drapery—Japanesque Lines Still Fancied.

a choice of lovely colors for spring wear.

SETTLED POINTS OF STYLE

That all these charming materials promise the greatest variety of styles in the gownmaker's hands we know already. We also know that over-skirts, tunic effects, belted bodices with collarless neck, and the "short sleeve" so-called in varying lengths, with some transparent lingerie or other trimmings, as well as lingerie neck accessories, are still to follow us through the summer. For our street costumes, short skirts are more than ever in favor, which above all else offers a promise of comfort and daintiness that is greatly welcomed. Short-coated suits for spring wear fortunately will bring about a desirable change spring and summer dress ma- of silhouette, in fact, short coats are to be of so varied an assortment of styles and have reached a superiority beyond all an- lengths that rumor is busy concerning the old favorite Eton's return. When the tion that silks, and silken threads, are given warmer spring days arrive the light woolen preference over all else, in the high qual- costumes having the true tailor stamp will ities of the fashionable varieties prof- define the earliest correctness of style. The fered. It is informing, as well as fas- short coat hangs from the shoulders a few cinating, to glance over the new importa- inches apart, showing from two to three tions and note the various departures from inches of vest from below the front turnpast seasons, and at the same time become over collar ends as far as a high belt. A familiar with what smart wear awaits our close double row of small round metal butchoosing. To make an interesting dis- tons afford a trimming on the extreme edge closure at the start, let it be well under- of the opening. The coat is fitted bodice stood that foulards are to be the grand style with its skirt set on; the corners chic for the entire season, and in a new in front are rounded, and flaps laid on the manifestation. They now go by the name hip sides. The fronts of the upper coat of "toile de soie," for they no longer re- opening have a straight turn-over flap about semble the old silks known as foulard. We three inches wide stitched on the edge, shall, no doubt, go on calling them fou- which is slipped under the bias stand of lards, but emphasizing that they are of the collar ends, and held down close to the new sort. They are as thin as mous- the coat with three buttons on each side, selines, and measure forty-two inches in ending at the seam joining the body of width. Another noticeable feature among the coat to its skirt. A high lingerie chemithese silks is that they all have most sette gives the neck finish. The sleeves diminutive designs, tiny cubes spread over are an easy fit, yet defining the arm, and the surface in white over colors, or dia- they have a straight turn-up cuff about the mond stripes enclosing a wee cube, the width of the straight coat front flaps. This stripes solid lines or broken into bits. All cuff is crossed by a tab of the same width manner of variety is shown by adding fine which reaches the elbow, being fastened to hair lines to the small cubes, thus plaiding the sleeves by three covered buttons. Linthe surface. Often the cubes are given gerie to match the chemisette appears inshorter connecting lines, the color field side the sleeves. The whole coat has a showing up in a four-sided figure. Charm- stitched finish, and so has the skirt, ing are the very narrow alternating col- which escapes the ground. This style of ored and white stripes, and their surfaces costume has a youthful trig expression, and satin finished and the two sides quite dif- is suitable in any of the cloths which have

OVER-DRAPERY MANIPULATION

A marked feature of ceremonious indoor gowns, whether for evening or day wear, is having an over-skirt that is carried up last season, consequently more sought after. to define and drape the bodice. So beautifully is this plastic endeavor carried out by the best makers, that the most desirable From these hints concerning the new lines of the figure are enhanced both above drapery once more, it springs into two divisions, crossing at the middle waist line and separating as would an overskirt, very much drawn away from the front, fitful back drapery caught into a middle gathering and permitted to fall into curtain loops at the side of the large middle gold ornament, and then to flow to the end of the train in a full flounce. A gown

OLD ROSE CRÊPE CHARMFENNE GOWN

Crêpe charmienne is the ideal novelty cloth for dressy tailor-mades; and is sure to be popular. It is found in all the street colors, from darkest marine blue through the medium tones enumerated at the beginning. As for the light shades, they are bewitching. At first glance this crêpe has a smooth satin surface, with the faintest hint of its weave line. It is extremely light and supple, its under surface without sheen and like a close voile somewhat. A new model short-skirted costume, made of old rose charmienne, was youthful and fetching. The skirt was a plaited one, simply hemmed, and the over-dress held the latest lines in skilled drapery. This exquisite material was actually wound about the figure, with only the needful plaits to draw it into the waist line, and is an exceedingly attractive fabric. A then allow it to fall on the left side into short-skirted costume had great chic, worn a shawl end, while on the right, as it took by a distinguished foreigner, leaving the a shorter swing from the middle front French steamer last week. The bottom of

attempt at wrinkling the crepe their full length. They ended with a straight narrow three-inch band of plaits to match. Lingerie wristlets barely showing matched the transparent lace chemisette and stocks. A jabot flounce of the lace, edged by a three-inch lace edge, had a single beading of narrow black velvet, a corresponding velvet encircling the stock midway; this note of black proved a pretty and becoming touch.



That the Japanesque lines still influence the latest spring smartness is apparent. This is seen in the wide sash-like belts the tailors, as well as gownmakers, are introducing, while three and two-inch belts retain their vogue as well. Take for instance a black charmienne, which, by the way,

> the skirt showed a bias fold some inches wide and a broad band of black cloth. A loose Japanese style of coat, which hung to the very bottom of the skirt, was trimmed on the bottom with a broader black satin fold, while the circular lines of the coat above the fold were of black cloth. Above this cloth the upper portion of the coat was all of black satin, having a broad long rever collar turned over. The sleeves, in one piece from the shoulders, were of the Oriental type, and had deep upturned black satin cuffs. The divisions of the garment, where satin and cloth joined, were trimmed with a narrow black fur, very glossy in its surface effect. Collar and cuffs were also trimmed in this way, so that all in all the effect was extremely smart and most becoming as well. A black fur turban, trimmed with black satin bows in the new backward grouping style, was worn, the hat, as well as the hair, resting on the back of the head, but raised there noticeably.



Frock of old blue voile striped broadly with a white hair line and combined with black satin. Tiny frill of black Valenciennes at throat. The large medallion and buttons on girdle are of lapis lazuli

middle back. The left side of the bodice rich profusion and artistic charm. The was laid from the shoulder into three flat satin corsage is in cross drapery, a band plaits, which were tucked into the long of the same embroidery finishing the corsage drapery on the right at the bust décolleté. The shoulder straps and halfline. The sleeves had a mere hint of top sleeves are of bugles and crystals. The gathers, and while not as tight as those we winding of a white satin sash starts from have worn this winter, were long enough the bottom of the waist drapery, is knotted green, lavender gray, and bluet show would carry this model with distinction. to reach the wrists and showed a slight

LINING OVER-DRESSES

One of the points to observe in imported gowns is the thin but closely woven silk skirt linings that are used, and to note what a clinging effect they produce by the art used in attaching them. Nothing produces more charm than the present style of over-dresses seen upon ball and dinner gowns. The gauze-like material is sent off to be embroidered in bugles and crystal, in gold, in silver, in pearls, of white or pale colors. A beauty in cream-white has a white satin drop skirt with its clinging linings. Over this is a gauze skirt, having on the bottom a fourinch border of white floss hand work, thickly wrought with crystals. Then falls an over-dress, on which close lines of white bugles perpendicularly cover the surface. Japanesque cloud designs, winged birds, shields,

crossing, the shawl point fell nearer the and other fantasies cover the bottom in

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THE NEW MODE IN EARLY SPRING MILLINERY

FROM BURBY

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THE AMERICAN TAILOR MADE WOMAN WITHOUT A PEER

No Other Woman Knows So Well the Possibilities of the Tailor Suit—The C oice of Suitable Accessories Is a Mat.r of Discriminating Taste

the young women whom she met walking large, and gathered in folds at the top. in Fifth avenue during her visit to New and the whole garment lacks the indefin-York, she becomes enthusiastic.

young girls to be seen there, especially during the morning hours of shopping, and she claims that in no other city of the world does one find such perfection of morning dress as is worn by these American women. From the tops of their jaunty hats, to the tips of their beautifully cut boots, in the dainty accessories of their costumes, she found irreproachable style ly tailored suits cut on good lines and and taste.

women, realize in what that attraction really well-dressed woman. consists, or what especial type of costume

it is that strikes the foreign eye and differentiates our women from the well-dressed women of other countries? It is impossible to mistake an American woman in Europe wearing a well-made American tailor suit for anything other than an American, for she stands out a cleancut figure minus the furbelows that women in foreign countries de em a necessary accompaniment, even for informal morning dress.

The ubiquitous coat and skirt are worn of course to a greater or less extent in all countries, and especially in England, but it has remained for the American tailor or for the foreign tailor in America, who adapts himself to the American taste-to evolve and perfect a costume which is a striking example of style in cut, fit, and finish. And by the tailor suit is meant the severely plain coat and skirt without trimming of any description, except possibly in some exceptional cases a flat plain braid.

The French tailored suit is a compromise; its lines lack a certain severity found in the garments made in this country, and it is generally overtrimmed and overelaborated. The suits made in Vienna, while possessing a touch of the elegance that distinguishes all garments made by the Austrian tailor, are open to the same objection that one finds in the French

In the English coats and skirts, and even in those

HEN Eleanor Glyn in her latest made by some of the best tailors in Lonbook, "Elizabeth Visits Amer- don, there is a clamsiness in cut. The ica," writes of the appearance shoulders of the coat are too short, the and the manner of dressing of chest too narrow, the sleeves as a rule too able quality of "snap." The English She seems to have been much interested tailored skirt is defective in style accordat the numbers of smart, well turned-out ing to American taste. It displays a tendency to be short in front, and to sag noticeably in the back. Their skirts, too, are rarely short enough, for much of the smartness of a tailored skirt depends upon its length. Four inches, or even five inches, from the ground, is the correct length for these skirts.

While it is true that one can find severefairly well finished in all the large, and De Americans themselves who are fa- most of the small, shops of this country, miliar with the trim and attractive dress yet the fact remains that the coat and of a large number of their country- skirt made to order is the hall-mark of the

In this day of marked independence in

the matter of dress, one wears either a long coat or one of medium length. The cloth may be light in color, or dark, rough, or smooth, of English cheviot, Scotch tweed, French broadcloth, or of any good material that strikes the fancy; but the conservative woman, the woman of a certain refinement of taste, will buy the best quality of cloth only, and have it made on lines of great simplicity, with no trimming of any kind, except the velvet collar, and the necessary coat, but simplicremain its important features. While American

women lead the world in regard type of informal a large one, and edge carried out makes the woman of taste a distinof over-dressed



Tailored suit of fine beige homespun. The model shows the new short belted coat. Collar and revers of white broadcloth

women in the streets and the restaurants. The simplicity of this costume does not appeal to the average woman-its refinement escapes her.

She will buy a plainly tailored coat and skirt in the shops, and put it on with a serene indifference to the fact that it number of but- does not fit a line of her figure, and she tons for fastening will top it with a "picture" hat covered it. The woman with ostrich plumes, or trimmed with who knows, rarely flowers, and held in place by an assortment changes from year of gaudy hat pins set with cheap stones. to year the style She does not know that care must be exof this suit, for ercised in the selection of immaculate from its very per- boots, gloves that harmonize in color, and fection and utility a becoming and conservative veil. The it is exempt from beautifully cut and hung tailor suit is the the vagaries of the foundation of the toilette, and to produce passing moment, a good effect the accessories must be From season to chosen with great care. The average season she modi- woman will wear with her suit an ordinary fies the cut of the cheap white blouse, a collar of cotton lace, sleeves, the and an imitation "baby Irish" jabot. Over amount of fulness her face she will wear a lace veil, and in the skirt, or the result will be that she is placarded the length of the with the sign: "Cheap and ready-made."

In the gradual evolution of the tailor ity and severity suit, the fashion that has obtained during the last three or four years of having the coat fit rather loosely, made somewhat on the lines of a man's sack coat, and with plain, closely-fitting sleeves without fulness, is a very sensible one. It is a fashion that to this particular is becoming to practically every figure.

As the well-dressed woman is careful of morning dress, the the fit and hang of her tailored skirt, she percentage of wo- understands that it is necessary to have men who under- the proper foundation to produce a graceful stand the art of effect. The tailored lingerie that has been selecting the cor- introduced in the last few seasons is an inrect accessories to valuable aid in this directon. Perfectly wear with it is not fitting, and with no superfluous fulness, the cloth of both coat and skirt worn over it is this knowl- these garments clings and hangs properly.

With these plain suits are worn smart in detail that hats of medium size with very little trimming, and the hat pins should have small and inconspicuous heads. The veil should guished figure be distinctly conservative; the "freak against the back- veils" should be utterly discarded. French ground of the mis- veils which have a fine mesh of four cellaneous crowds threads, and a small chenile dot, or a (Continued on page 62)



Gown of white crêpe météor with broad flounces of cream Valenciennes. The bands and large rosettes are of black chiffon

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low in the back, and is then drawn to the left side and held by two large white roses to the over-dress. The hair should be worn low on the brow, with double pearl Greek bands confining the strands of the hair. Pearl jewelry, in preference to all other in this instance, for the gown, suggests the débutante in the days of her glory. A closing word about the wide Geisha sash crossed at the back, carried then to the left side below the hip, the crossed ends fixed there, and an ornamental pin transfixed thereon, all this indicating a style lately introduced.

FOULARD SMARTLY MADE

Made of the new foulard silk with a deeply twilled surface, but of the softest texture imaginable, is a new gown. Its skirt is composed of three shaped flounces, each one trimmed with graduated rows of black velvet ribbon. The silk is exquisitely shaded in pink and gray, a leading combination. Folds of silk softly shape a corsage, low, and curving into a graceful round. There are small puffed sleeves of the silk oddly shaped from a circle, with a round hole cut in the exact middle of a size to accommodate the arm; the outer edge is gathered full into the armhole. A chemisette of one thickness of black mousseline de soie, with tight pointed sleeves, covers shoulders and arms. The edge of the round neck is covered with a necklace of small cameos set in gold, and larger cameos, held together by gold links, band the sleeves above wrists.

OLD-TIME SILKS

The revival of 1850 styles calls for the quaint flowered silks of that period and some of the shops show them in great variety. They are of the glacé taffeta family, in two-toned, high-lustred effects. One with chiné lilies of the valley and yellow rosebuds on an odd currant-colored ground is \$3 a yard; width 22 inches. Another with an amber and white warp is printed with Dresden roses in small bunches, the chiné effect intensified by little black shadings,



Smart model of green linen grenadine, which fastens with large black passementerie buttons. Long slender yoke of embroidered batiste with a side frill edged with Valenciennes

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SMART MODELS FOR THE SPRING TAILOR MADE

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NEW SUNSHADES—THE MOST EFFECTIVE WEAPONS OF SUMMER COQUETRY



THE LATEST MODE IN EVENING COIFFURES

ARRANGED BY CLUZELLE

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Fig. 1. Pretty model in white linen with distinctive lines that give length and contour to the figure

THE one piece linen gown is in such demand that it has attracted to itself the especial attention of the designer and manufacturer. Now that these gowns are worn from breakfast to dinner in varying degrees of elaboration, it is essential that whatever their scheme of decoration or trimming, it must be practical for frequent tubbing. Therefore whether for tennis or garden party we find few gowns shown that cannot be with safety entrusted to a good laundress, and which come out again as good as new. The cut as well as the material contributes to this end, skirts being so arranged in combinations of yoke, panels and plaits that there is very little chance of sagging. The gown in the first sketch is a model that I specially recommend, its charm being too apparent to need emphasis. This French model and its simplicity and refinement make it in every way desirable. For it, is used a medium weight white linen, very firm in texture, but fine and smooth in finish. Its only trimming are double corded loops of the material and buttons of the same, the collar and cuffs being of fine baby Irish. The style of the gown is given by the treatment of the lines that run from the broad sailor collar down over the bust and hip until strips. The belt is of linen, they are lost in the side yokes of the skirt. shaped to the figure, and Buttons and loops follow and mark this stitched flat, with an emline, giving length to the figure and presenting it in as slender a contour as pos- mark it both back and sible. The middle front is one long panel, front. Embroidered net is with an interlacing of loops marking the inset on the linen sleeve, waist line without cutting the one piece and laid also across the effect. In the skirt well below the hips shoulders at the back. there are deep plaits on either side of the Just above the lace cuff front and back panel. In the back this there is another one of stops at the waist and there is a band of linen with stitched bands. linen to fasten across, with loops caught Very becoming is the skirt; in one another like those at the front. the yoke circular and curv-Across the shoulders the waist has a shal- ing downward at the front; low yoke stitched flat, and toward the arm- wide tucks put in on the hole this is notched and carried down border. A box plait is into the side seam. This frock may be placed at the middle of worn with an attached yoke such as is the lower part, and from shown of pin dotted white net, or one may this plaits turn back on have separate chemisettes. The three- each side. The skirt yoke quarter sleeve is somewhat full and has a cuff of linen under the lace one. A from the front. It is much smarter model would be hard to find and shortened, and has a it cost is but \$29.50. White only is on double box plait sewn flat hand, but orders for other shades are connecting it with the belt. quickly executed.

WITH EMBROIDERED NET TRIMMING

The second drawing gives a frock that is unusual in its trimming, which consists of very coarse meshed white cotton net heavily embroidered by hand in a rose pat- coin spots between. Price tern. The front of the blouse is inset \$65. Such a frock as this



Good Style Tub Dresses at Moderate Cost-Pretty and Becoming Models for General Summer Wear.

with this the lower edge deeply scalloped will last for years, and the embroidery and two points run up toward each can be used indefinitely, so that it is by shoulder. All around the blouse, at arm- no means an extravagant purchase. holes, yoke and on the edge of the linen top sleeve there is a wee bias band of linen, put on with a fancy open stitch. The collar, yoke and full length cuff are of Val- turned out by Paris designers, and as

BLUE LINEN PIPED IN WHITE

Pipings are seen in almost every model enciennes lace and net worked together in handled in the original of the third illus-



A smart yoke and

panel effect is shown in

this little linen frock

embroidery

broidered rose motif to in the back is different Where this plait and the bottom of the yoke join there is a large oblong buckle, all of linen, the edge two rows of narrow bands with embroidered Fig.

as Alice. The best feature at \$35. of the many good ones in the frock is the cut of side bodice and skirt yoke in one, which reduces the

skirt



gown with novel and effective trimmings of patent leather

heavy pattern is used for the collar, and a V in front and the cuffs have a double row of insertion to match. Rather unusual and very pretty is the sleeve, with a piping on the outside down the entire length, back of which, in groups of threes, there are small horizontal tucks. These open out into the sleeve, giving it considerable puffiness. A black taffeta sailor knot is fastened low on the yoke. The extreme slimness about the hips carries well down until it meets the kilted skirts, which are generously full without flaring. The price asked is \$24.50.

DOUBLE PLAITED SKIRT IN LINEN

The subject of sketch four represents a favorite model of the season, a double kilted skirt, the upper one just below the knees being especially good in linen. The plaits are stitched down as far as the hips, giving a flat smooth contour over the abdomen. The waist blouses a bit above the fitted linen girdle, and on the loose edge has a straight hand of the material put on with cording. On the under girdle there are straps set on and held by embroidered buttons. At the shoulders there are three tucks, reaching to yoke depth, and at the middle there is a square tration they make a very plastron with a hand worked flower patattractive touch. The nar- tern. Excellent real Irish lace is used on row line of white serves the net collar and shallow yoke, over which to strengthen the good comes a tucker of net. To edge the collar points of panels and yoke and the net undersleeves there is a latter treatment. The color is crochet insertion. The back of the waist pure blue, neither green is not in loose bolero form like the front, nor purple in its leanings, but is carried down in tucks held in tightbut deep and decided in ly at the belt by an embroidered band. tone, of the shade known Excellent value is given in this gown

OPEN EMBROIDERY WITH PATENT LEATHER TRIMMINGS

Quite the most elaborate of this colcurve of the hip and is lection of linen gowns is that which is to most becoming in outline. be seen in the fifth illustration, and which The yoke across the front exploits the popularity and effectiveness of of the blouse is also a sec- patent leather. The motif of the embroidtion of this arrangement. ery is a central large dot from which Just below this there is reach out seven petals in cut work, and a set of wide tucks, turn- this repeats itself in the belt, cuffs, the ing out from the center. blouse front and the slanting edges of the These give breadth and skirt that reach almost together at the fulness at the bust, while knees. The yoke comes down in a finish the yoke keeps a desirable of scallops with a filling of unusually pretty flatness and smoothness Valenciennes, the pattern itself starting at the shoulders. The from a border of large meshed net. This middle front of the skirt lace is gathered in on the neck onto a yoke runs down in a wide straight linen band, scalloped at the throat. and rather deep point. In the sleeves the same idea is seen again this division being marked in a V-shaped inset of lace, put in a little by buttons on the sides. full. The kimona shape is used for them; Imitation Irish lace of that is, no seam at the shoulder, and tucks With its circular sides coming forward is weight and smooth enough to shed dust

very pretty. The hem of the gown between these is embroidered. Where the sides almost meet there is a bridge of eyeletting with patent leather run through. A number of colors are shown in this, namely, blue, pink, amethyst, biege and white. It sells for \$35.

EYELETTED LINEN TENNIS GOWN

Nothing has been shown this season that makes a stronger appeal than the very smart model in drawing No. 6. In the first place it is generally becoming whether worn by a slight or stout figure, and it is very distinguished in style. There is no pretension of any kind in its make-up, yet it is a gown which will be favorably noticed even in a gathering of the most elaborate. Pin tucks are Put in up and down through the waist, they being also run around the arm in the sleeves. The scalloped and embroidered Dutch collar is done right in the material and so cannot but lie in place. Around the waist the same patern, the points turning both up and down, is arranged as a high girdle. The front fastens well to one side, with little scroll ornaments of corded linen to cover the hooks. A very close-fitting bias yoke forms the upper part of the skirt, with embroidery at the

knees under which there are box plaits and side plaits combined. some charming rose shades. Not a vestige of fullness is there at the middle back, the material sloping off over the hips smoothly. Besides white, this model is on hand in old blue and light blue, tan, pink, and old rose. Its price, \$22.50, is unusually moderate.

CHIFFON CRÊPE,

a lovely new material, is a very much softened crêpe that is very thin and light but not transparent. It is ideal for summer afternoon gowns, and is handsome enough to take the richest laces and embroideries. It comes in the following colors with small White dots: amethyst, tan and gobelin blue. Also it is procurable in white with black dots. Either side may be used. Price \$3.50. a yard, the width 42 inches. It drapes exquisitely, and will surely be a successful and popular fabric,

NEW FRENCH COLORS IN DRESS FABRICS

Those women who desire to wear the tints that have been favorably passed upon by smartly gowned Parisiennes should make their selection as near headquarters as possible. A certain large New York shop, for example, is unique in the management of the department devoted to dress goods, in that its stock consists only of such beautiful new shades as are in high favor at the French capital. The very latest spring colorings are now shown, the distinguishing trait of each being softness; there is not an undesirable tone among them all. In looking through the procurable in it. Price \$2, width 46 inches. Showing, one is impressed by two dominant colors in the materials intended for afternoon and carriage wear, namely, almond green and blonde shades. These run the entire gamut of their individual colorings. Almond green is a delightful color, cool and soft, with very little yellow in its composition. Blonde designates the golden color that first came out this winter, in- yard. cluding among its lighter shades what we in demand for suits and gowns. It is 56 are useful and satisfactory.

that start near the neck are carried half inches wide and sells for \$2.75 the yard. way over the upper arm. Eyeletted sec- A nattier blue in it is very smart, and tions alternate with large button-holed particularly good also is the almost neutral slits in the cuff, through which runs the color known as coachman's tan-between black leather. The belt is like it, only sand color and ash gray. Fancy surah that the leather curves up quite a bit by serge is an admirable choice, taking its itself, meeting the fullness of the front name from the twill in its texture that of the blouse. The shaping of the skirts resembles that of the silk. It is light well. Price \$1.75 in a

> width measuring 54 inches. Broadcloths in pastel shades are selling in large quantities for spring afternoon gowns and summer evening wraps. The blonde or golden tones are excellent for a mantle or separate coat, as they go well with any and every color. Prices \$2 and \$2.25 per yard.

Cream diagonals and serges make smart suits, though of course they must be worn with care. Paris is turning out lovely models in these tints; good values are to be had at from \$2 to \$3.50 the yard.

SILK WARP FARBICS,

such as eoliennes and crinkled crêpes, are prominent in spring showings, called for by the Greek character of draperies, for which no other materials are more suitable. modish color in these soft weaves is known as La Rampe, it being a pale tan with the slightest suggestion of green. It is one of the best colors for

a gown which is designed to do a variety of services, as it can be suitably worn both afternoon and evening. Lovely sapphire tones are abundant in these silks, as are all the new greens and

The eoliennes cost \$1.50 the yard. Crêpes in plain weaves are to be much in evidence, and there is also a strong leaning toward those with a small figure, either a dot or stripe or a small conventional motif. The latter cost \$2.85, the former \$2. Chinese blue is the name given to a vivid dark blue which reproduces the color effects seen in Oriental embroideries; Sevres blue is another favorite. Either material is popular

Fig. 6. Simplicity combined with

well-cut lines in a linen

morning frock

in crepes. tened from the already famous play. It is Price \$10. very brilliant and gay, somewhere between watermelon pink and coral. A dotted crêpe in it sells for \$2 the yard.

Chameleon crêpes show the two-toned effects that distinguish so many new models. A green and rose mixture results in a shimmering color that is generally becoming. Price \$2.50.

A new wool voile has all the merits of that likeable fabric with additions. It is woven with a very fine diagonal, which gives it richness and puts it in touch with the fancy of the season for that grain. It is remarkably light for wool, and is as transparent as silk veiling. In the golden colors it is admirable; everything new is

Basket-weave cheviots are popular for walking suits and are to be had in the new shades at from \$2 to \$4.25.

Glace French serge is a two-toned thin diagonal material of beautiful quality that bids fair to become a standard for tailored gowns. All the novelty tones are procurable in a 50-inch width, price \$2.50 the

Pastel homespuns are a successful deused to call apricot; running a close parture in a material that never loses its second to these tints are nearly number- prestige. Faint tones are pleasing in the less exquisite blues. Diagonal homespun substantial fabric, which ranges from 18 one of the very supple materials much \$2.85 to \$3.50 per yard. English tweeds



No. 1. Three smart novelties in this season's parasols. Made in grosgrain silk, dull black taffeta and pongee

IN THE WESTERN SHOPS

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> of the plain unruffled variety with very long han-In sketch No. 1, three are shown. An odd one is of heavy grosgrain silk in a dark shade of green, with a long, plain handle; which bulges just enough at the top to give a good grip. The handle is wound all the way with ribbon of the same shade, and the top is covered with tinsel having a wide mesh crocheted net stretched over it. It is made in all colors and costs \$16.50. Another of the group is intended for mourning wear. It is made of soft, dull black taffeta and has a wide band of chiffon cloth with a two-inch band of crêpe on the outer edge. In this chiffon are set circles of crêpe. The handle is of ebony with a gunmetal top. Price \$22.50. The third is of pongee in the natural color, having a narrow border of dark brown; it is lined with brown China silk. The handle is inverted, having the

kerchiefs of fine linen crook on top, and is orna-Chantecler red is a delightful dye, chris- mented with a large ribbon bow of brown.

No. 2. Dainty French hand-

SMART MOTOR COAT

A motor coat is fashioned from a steamer rug, the fringe forming the only trimming. The material is very heavy and wooly and the coat is unlined, the plaid side of the rug being on the inside. It is cut without a seam in the back, and while roomy enough to move about in, there is not an inch of extra width. The collar falls in a long roll from right to left, coming as low as the hip, where it is fastened by a large button and loop of the material. The sleeve is turned back at the wrist to make a cuff, showing the reverse side of the material. The fringe runs around the collar and is carried in a straignt line around the skirt well below the hips; \$57.50.

HANDKERCHIEF NOVELTIES

Sketch No. 2 shows four new handkerchiefs. The first one has a white center, colored stripes making a border, which has tiny white shamrocks embroidered all over it. Price 75c. The second one is plain white, with a tiny colored scallop of Madeira embroidery all round; 25c. The next one, at 50c, has a hem and letter in color. The fourth, which comes in two qualities at 25c and 50c, has a flower embroidered in natural colors in one corner. A new

HE newest parasols are all mourning handkerchief is of the sheerest linen, all white, with a three-inch hem; 35c.

HANDSOME EVENING WRAP

The original of sketch No. 3 is an evening coat of black chiffon cloth over soft satin in an old gold shade, the combination of color and fabric being a very delightful one. It is heavily embroidered with black soutache, and a touch of gold is introduced in the black braid buttons which ornament the front and also appear on the sleeves. The sides are separate panels, giving the coat the effect of long, straight lines, rather unusual in such a soft material. Price \$97.50.

JEWELED CROSS

A really beautiful example of the goldsmith's art is seen in a jeweled Celtic

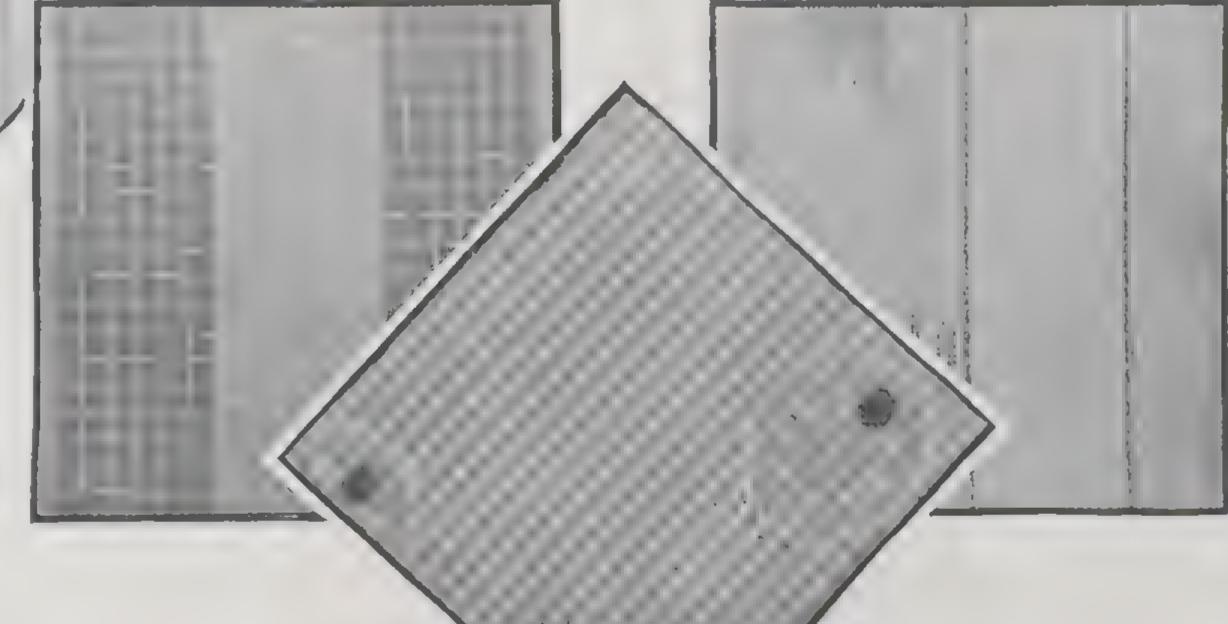
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No. 3. Stunning evening coat of black chiffon and gold satin

THE WELL-DRESSED MAN

On the Subject of Spring Fabrics—A Detailed Review of Suit and Shirt Materials Seen at the Fashionable Shops -Some Handsome Silks for Neckties



New spring shirtings

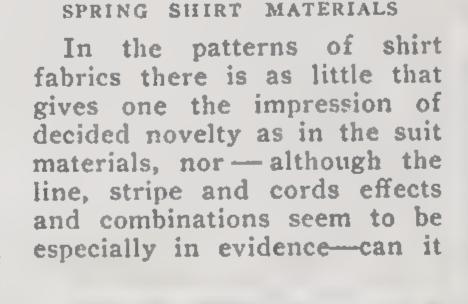
HERE is no special reason why one should expect anything radically new or different in the way of materials at the beginning of a season, but somehow or other one is always slightly disappointed to find so little change in the general character of fabrics for men's clothes, as one looks at them as a whole. Of course the possibilities are somewhat limited, for our ideas of good form preclude the overbright in color, or large and striking in pattern, yet even in those comparatively rare cases where we may be impressed by the uncommon appearance of a cloth or shirt stuff, if we stop to analyze it we are apt to find that its distinctive effect is due merely to some slight variation of weave, shade of coloring; or arrangement of design. I do not mean to imply that there is absolutely nothing that gives the impression of novelty in this season's exhibits, or that we cannot see much that is thoroughly good in style, and smart in appearance, at the less expensive shops, but I am rather more than ever of the opinion that for the latest and most distinctive effects in weave, pattern and coloring, one must look to the importing tailors and haberdashers of fashionable reputation. One cannot even predicate the general mode by what is to be seen at the large "ready-to-wear" clothing shops, for not only must they have great variety of cloths, but must necessarily provide for a season's trade well in advance, and run largely to the less expensive, or at any rate not to the most expensive grades and qualities. Indeed, although it frequently happens that one general shade or pattern effect is more in vogue than another, fashion in materials—at least for sack suits—is never so narrow that as between two cloths equally good in point of style and equally attractive, one can say that this or that is the more smartly correct. Because of long use or over-popularity a certain design may be less exclusive than a certain other one. One material may be intrinsically more stylish than another, but too pronounced to make a suit of good style. Another may be extremely good looking in the sample, but when made up lack character and distinctive effect.

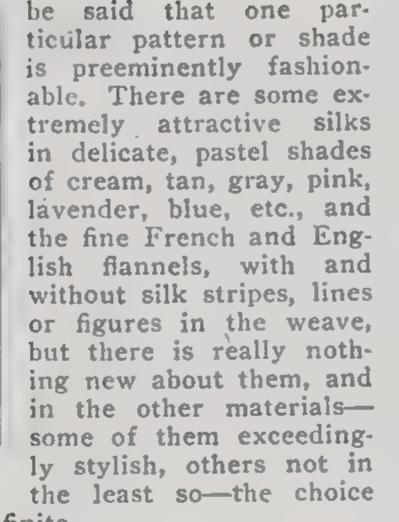
THE SUIT FABRICS ILLUSTRATED

Of these things one must judge for oneself, and perhaps a better idea of the general run of the stripe, plaid and mixture in the cloths of this spring may be had from the photographs of a few of the pieces shown on page 62, than by mere general description, although in all the color must necessarily be sacrificed, while in some even the weave and pattern does not come out clearly. Browns, with stripes in self-shades and contrasting color, and, of course, the dark blues, are as much in general vogue as ever. Just what to select depends to some extent upon the style and character of the suit one wants-whether formal, semi-formal or

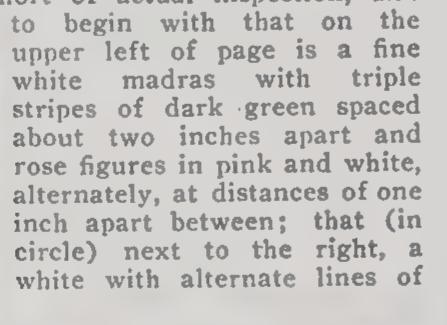
distinctly outing - and moreover individual becomingness of certain shades and patterns plays some part, browns, for example, being better for one man than another, and stripes, as a rule, better for short, stout men than plaids. All the fabrics shown are fairly conservative in pattern and coloring, and in addition there are many darker cloths in hopsack, unnoticeable herring-bone and close mixture weaves.

For summer suits, among the newer things are cravenetted mohairs is practically infinite. in various shades, while the silk and linen fabrics, pongees in natural colors and illustrated, and some others seen at a few English flannels will without doubt be as of the leading shops, will give a better much in vogue as ever. But to be smart idea of them than can be had in any flannel must be of good quality.





No doubt a brief description of the pieces other way short of actual inspection, and



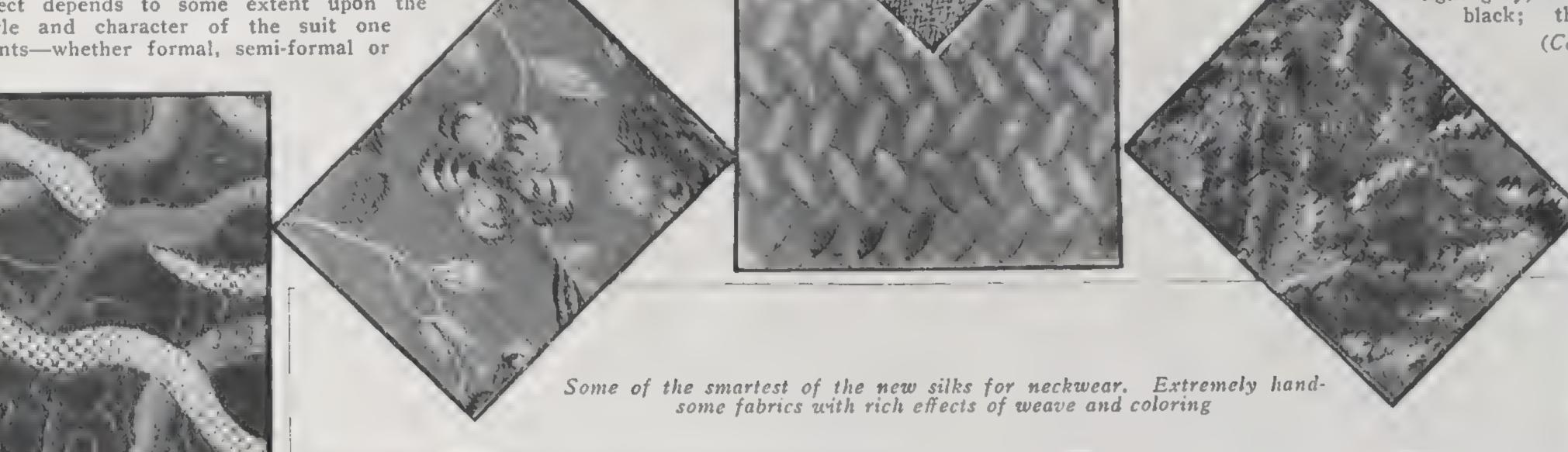
stripes, spaced an inch apart, in vine-like design showing light green, red, pale yellow and black threads of silk; the next to right a somewhat crêpe-like fabric in wide lines of white and light blue, crossed with waving, raised lines of white in a sort of basket weave; the fourth from left, a pretty lavender with fine raised lines of white silk and circles enclosing dots of white and larger dot of purple; the next (in square at bottom) a light blue with wide stripes of white, through which the blue threads show, narrower stripes of white, on which are a vine figure of lavender and star-like spots of white; the next (above to right) a white with satin effect stripe outlined with dark blue and splash figures of light blue and black; the next (in circle) a very fine check of green and white, with double circle design of dark green spaced far apart, and the last a light green with self-stripes on which are flecks or dots of black.

green and corded lines of white, and

All these materials may be had in other shades than those described, and there are thousands of other designs of the same general character, among which may be mentioned a white with wide stripes made up of corded lines of white and tan; a gray with narrow lines of black and gray, broken by small spots of white and lavender silks; a dark lavender with vine figure in white silk; a tan with stripes of white and flower figures of white with alternate centers of green and lavender; a white with double stripe of blue and small clover figures in white and black, and a tan, with corded stripes of darker tan and blue and diamond figures of white.

BEAUTIFUL NECKTIE MATERIALS

Perhaps most interesting of all the fabrics for men's dress this season are the necktie silks, which seem to be richer, more luxurious, and more diversified than ever. In some instances one sees such novelty of design as the small dogs' heads and bird figures spoken of in a previous issue, but generally the patterns, weaves and colorings of the heavy silks are so complex as almost to defy attempt at description. Indeed, this is apparent from the photographs shown herewith, the first of which (at left of lower part of page) is a beautiful dark blue silk of watered effect, with oddly intertwining stripes of satin and basket woven effect; the second an extremely handsome gray silk with flower design in embroidered effect of darker and lighter shades of gray; the third (above last) another dark blue, with peacock feather design in lighter and darker blues; the fourth a peculiar shade of golden tan crêpe with crescent figures in self-tone; the fifth a rich gray silk with stripe and figure in black. The sixth (under the last) a dark green, with figure in self-tone of different weave; the seventh (above) a light gray, with sort of quilted stripes of black; the eighth (below) a dark (Continued on page 62)



THIS SEASON'S SMART NOVELTIES

New Designs in Silks—Fine Light Laces Used Profusely—Russian Laces and Embroideries for Linen Frocks—Flowered Ribbons and Flowered Muslins—Rain Proof Foulards—Heavy Silks in Serge Weaves—Dress Nets in Smart Effects—Crochet Ornaments and Buttons Still Popular—Face Veils More Novel Than Tasteful

EW, if any, of the smart and have a row of frocks for spring or silk balls that give summer wear will be an open-work stripe unadorned, for all man- effect at middle. ner of stunning trim- Oblong motifs of mings are at hand to enhance the beauty of net and soutache the various materials. braidings in brown Among these are many and leaf-green are novelties that are dist smart, the net emtinct departures from the ordinary; some of red, green and blue, the newest patterns are illustrated. A smart banding is of écru, or natural color basketweave linen, bordered with self-tone rat-tail braid, which is studded with steel seed-beads and has silk embroidered net in parts of the medallions formed by the rat-tail loops. The linen is printed in Japanese floral designs and the gray-green in old rose or old blue, soutache is in a the leaves being of a solid scroll on the soft dull green. The adjoining section. stems and outlines are This is one inch black; edgings come to wide. The edges of match. The average the motifs are in lengths of the motifs white and tan, are one quarter of a yard or three-eighths of a yard.

Indian bead and cord white and gold and motifs (illustrated) are with white and gold braids; colored bugles design. The beads are

yard long. Narrow trimming to match of lat-tail braid and beads comes in three-quarters of an inch width. Motifs of this style are smart when combined with heavy Shantung or pongee silks, with Chinese crèpe or tussah silks, or with linens or silk and wool materials. The many lovely ornaments in Irish crochet also shown, are for linens, or for natural color or white rough weave silks, or wool, or silk and wool fabrics. The average cost for one, nine inches long, is \$1 or a trifle less. Coat ornaments, such as are shown on page 40, which are of cords with knotted tassel (also used for dress fronts) are \$2.25 each. Motifs of mercerized tan rat-tail cord, with silk medallion centers embroidered in dull, rich hues, have embroidery also at the corners on the cord.

ornament

cut steel

\$2.75 a

crochet net

work studded

beads; 12 inches

Lovely motifs, narrow and long, delft blue rat-tail cord, are combined with braiding in the same shade on net. Rat-tail cords and point de gene lace are seen in another motif design of irregular points formed of leaf effects with lace inset. This is very smart and comes in écru, the lace part in ivory white. Besides these there are Chinese embroidered linen bands, white on a color, outlining medallions which are embroidered in gold, and exquisite hues in silk, and are about two and a quarter inches wide.

Pongee insertions, embroidered in dull, soft tints, are attractive, Chinese embroidered broidered in dull



Handmade ecru Russian lace, 9 inches deep at point; \$12.75 a yard. Section in-cluding point \$13.55.

signs and widths, are lovely this embroidered in Jap- year. One with anese effects with baroque pearls, a ribbosine and silks, wide blunt point are from \$1.75 to of latticed crystal, \$3.95 a yard, and and gold bugles some are matched studded with with irregular edg- pearls and borings. Japanese em- dered with rows broidered gold net of round pearls, edgings and band- broken by large ings are from \$5.95 baroques, is \$3.99.



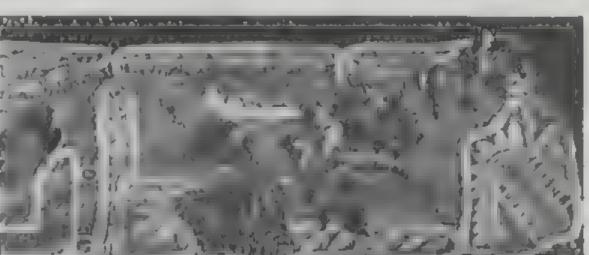
Net motif embroidered in many colored Hand made Russian lace inserting in ecru color. \$7.75 a yard beads. \$2.48 each

whipped with gold.

White net banding, darned with braided with white

at the heaviest parts of cost from \$1.10 to \$2 a yard.

dull blue colors, and a each, and gold cord frogs come from 39c \$4.95 a yard. motif is one quarter of a to 62c each. Net bandings in many de-



Trimming band of ecru Russian lace combined with net and embroidered in dull gold. \$12.75 a yard

pliqués, hand made Galloons are of of different color dull gold or silver dull gold tinsels in brocaded in brightflower and bow er shades of the knot designs, have metal, and are lavender or some three inches wide, other colored tinsel the price \$2.25 a in parts of the flow- yard. One in gold ers and buds, and has a bronze gold are embroidered in middle; this is bright tinsel strands,

to \$7.95.

very effective; the cords soutache, is one and a half inches wide; the foundation of net. This is \$19.50 a are fine and tightly run with silver it comes two and a half yard. Tinted gauze festoons, embroidered woven and combined inches wide in a similar design. Bias pon- in silks and tinsels, are \$7.95 a yard; quaint pattern on gee edgings with Japanese embroidery at each festoon about fourteen inches long. a fancy open border, in bright but soft colors, are \$1.25 One that is very graceful has roses in mesh old gold galare between the cords to \$2.50 a yard; straight bands to match pale mauve, yellow and pink, with pastel loon, which is also green leaves, and is irresistibly dainty as Metal embroidered ornaments for tailored well as effective. A narrow design in Persian work being in pastel colors. Broin gold, brown, jade or gowns in Persian military designs are 29c trailed carnations in the same colorings is caded gauze in two shades of si'ver or

It is finished by crystal and pearl fringes and is in a size that will nearly cover a corsage.

Baroque or jewelled and baroque garnitures are from \$10.95 to \$16.50 each, and are in charming designs of festoons, etc., for Tinsel cloth ap- corsage fronts, unusually good. Persian embroidery is shown in a \$2.25 a yard, the

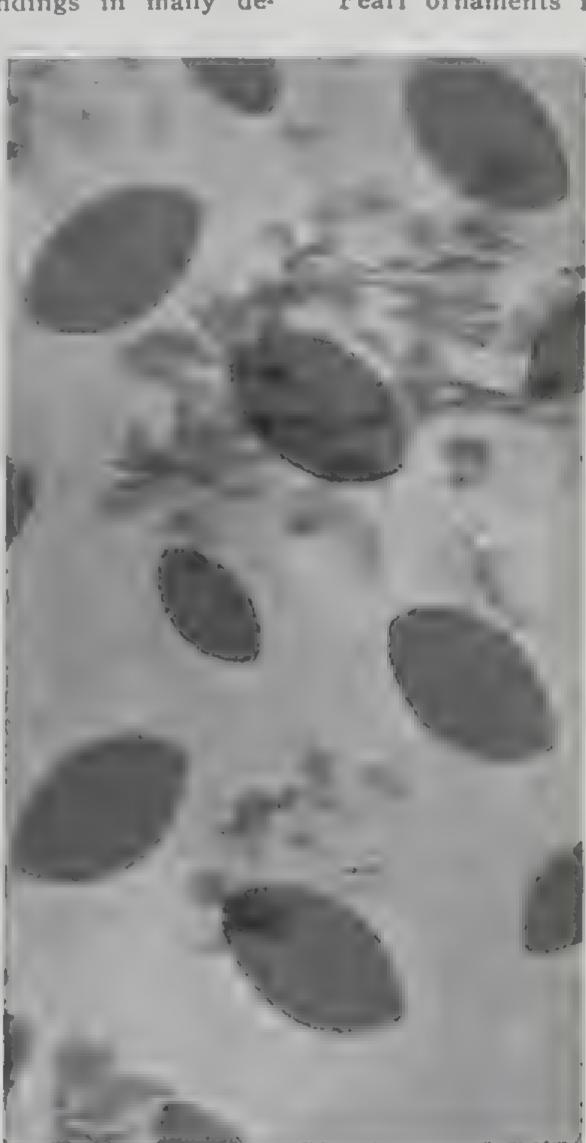


Net banding embroidered in dull tints and gold thread braiding in green soutache

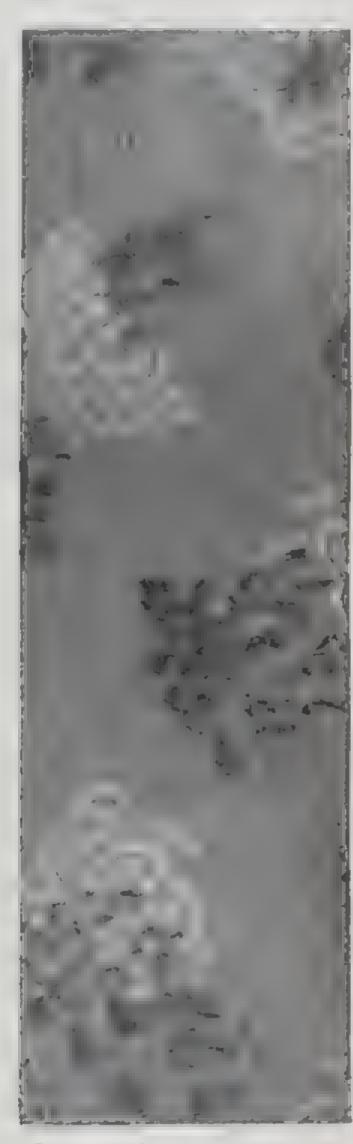
gold in narrow widths is 85 cents; the Pearl ornaments for bridesmaids' gowns broader widths come a little more expensive.



Pompadour silk. Width 24 inches; \$3 a



Faconné satin printed with chiné Dresdon design. Width 23 inches; price, \$1.75 a yard

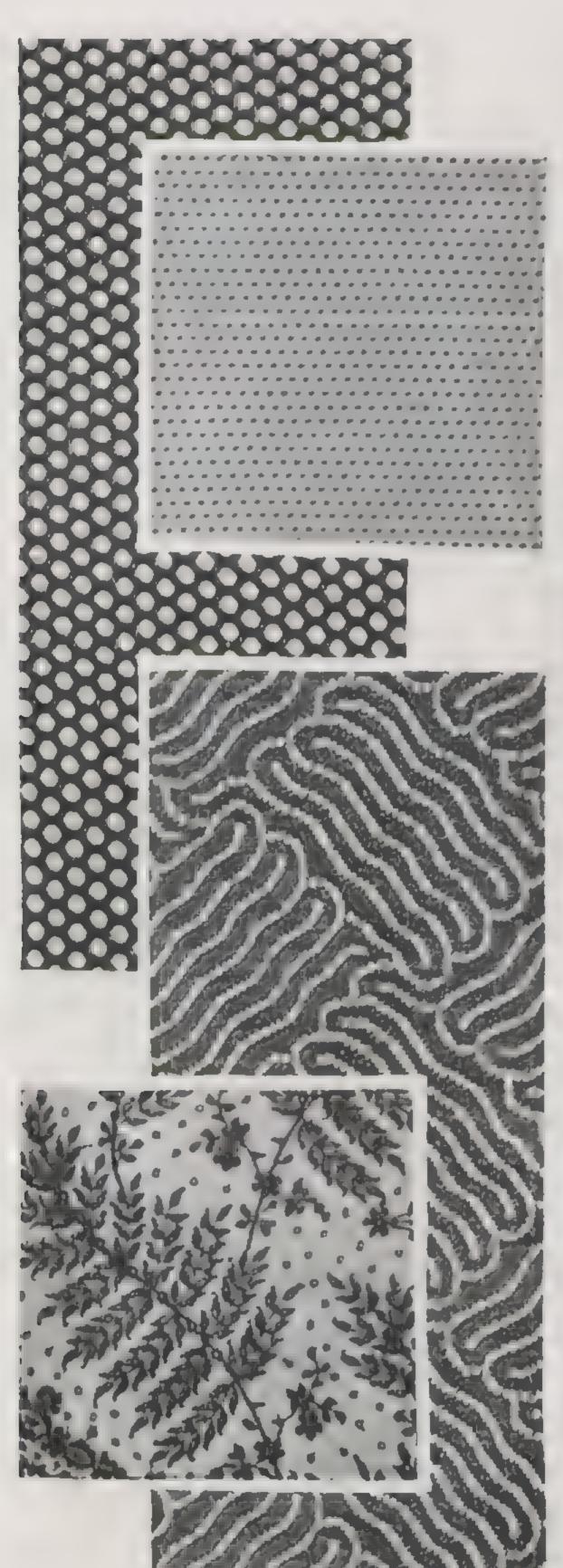


Jacquard taffeta. Width 24 inches; \$1.75 a yard

RIBBONS

IBBONS are following the general trend towards floral designs or Persian printings and come with exceedingly beautiful chiné flowers of all kinds; the preference, however, is given to roses, which are shown in every size, singly, in quaint old-fashioned bunches, or garlanded. Many of the ribbons have jacquard designs in addition to the printings; others show façonne effects which are almost the same as jacquard; the façonné designs are heavier at one edge, but finished with a satin lustre. Nacré ribbon is in an effective moiré weave. Glacé ribbons come in taffeta with that amount of stiffening known as hair-bow finish, and are in all two-toned combinations, and satin moiré ribbons with woven brocaded dots are lovely.

Some of the striped taffeta and moiré ribbons are very beautiful; the taffeta stripes are printed with chiné vines or sprigs of flowers in soft and lovely tints; a Pompadour rose and wreath pattern on one of these is adorable. Brocaded taffeta with warp print borders of moss roses or other flowers are fascinating, and some of the moiré ribbons are bordered on one side with dainty rose designs. A very unusual effect is on the border of a solid color jacquard satin ribbon, the jacquard design in lattices that cover the



Effective black silk dress nets

wide middle part, and the borders showing graceful narcissus. Broché pompadour taffeta, with festoons of ribbons and baskets of flowers in self-tone, are also lovely, as the colors are pale and pretty.

Flowered Persian ribbons show a combination of Persian cachemire designs and flowers in harmonious tints; these are very rich in effect. On page 39 are some attractive new ribbons, of which the metalrun ribbon with woven Persian design in either shades of blue or in Chinese colors is very smart. The ground color is a silvery white écru with threads of gold.

SHEER FLOUNCINGS, EDG-INGS, AND INSERTINGS

MBROIDERED French batiste flouncings in 27-inch widths are from 95c up to \$5.75 a yard and more. At 95c an unusually pretty design in English eyelet is shown; at \$3 baby Irish lace inserting and borders are combined with very fine embroidery, and at \$4.50 charming old-fashioned needlework designs are duplicated. For the loveliest of fern leaf and flower patterns \$5.75 are asked. French batiste flouncing in widths ranging from 5 to 14 inches are made in the handwork patterns of Colonial times. Above the borders are tiny eyelets or sprigs to match. The prices for the 14inch flouncings range from \$6.25 to \$7.25, and one in a daisy and fern pattern sells for \$4.25. A lovely eyelet design in 9-inch width is \$2, and an eyelet top and wavy floral edge is \$2.50. The bandings are sold from \$1.15 to \$3.75. Plain batiste of a very fine quality to match the color of these embroideries, 45 inches wide, is \$1.35 a yard. A very quaint embroidered flouncing in bird and flower design is \$2.75 for the ro-inch width and \$2 for the 5-inch width. Batiste flouncings in that eyelet embroidery effect known as Madeira at a moderate price can be had in navy blue on a pastel blue, in deep pink on pastel pink, and in smoke gray on pearl, the width 27 inches and the price \$3.75 a yard. and are one of the newest effects appear-

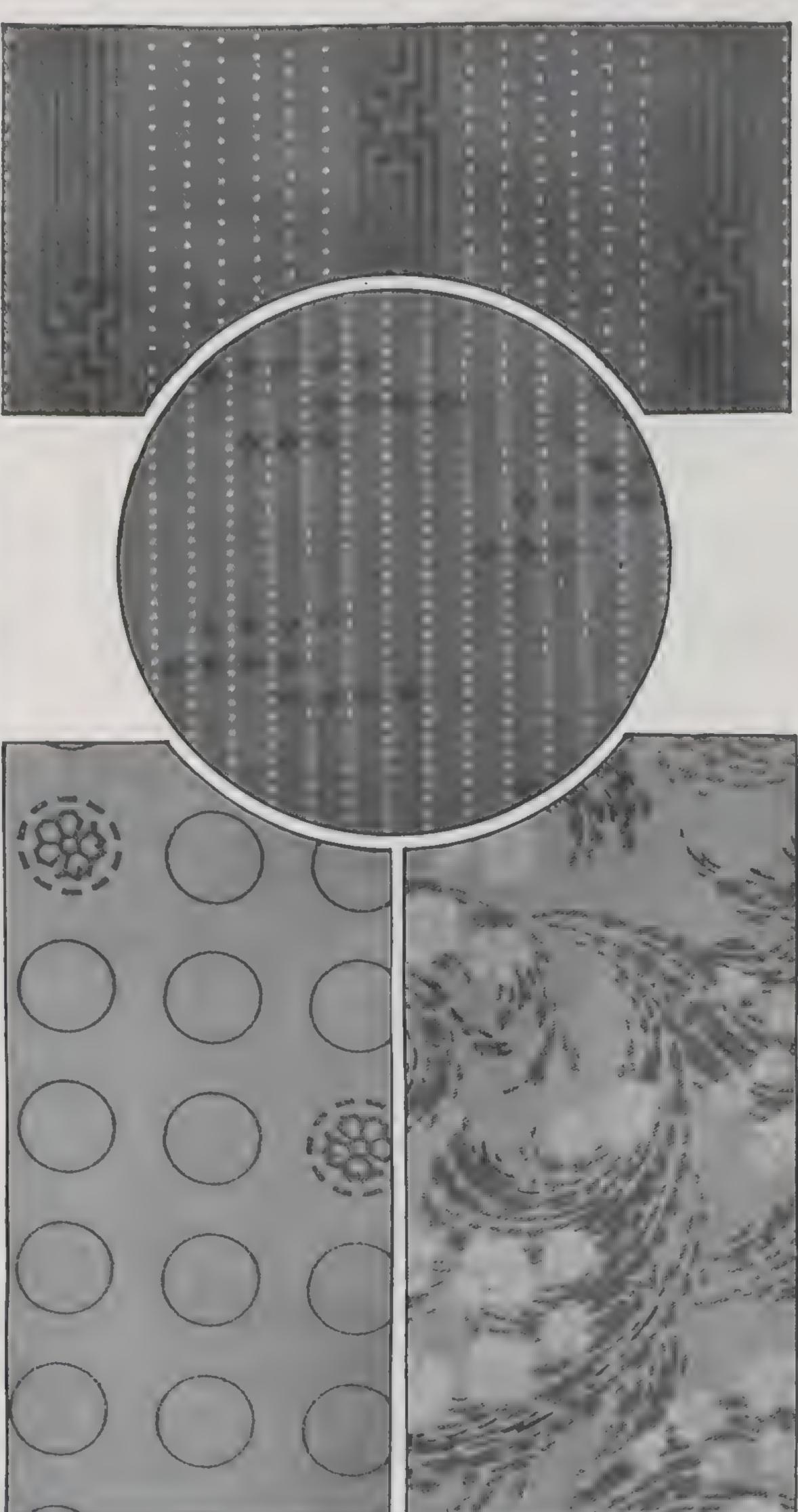
width. Sheer white batiste flouncings, with hem of color to match the color in the embroidered flowers in design above, are \$2 a yard, 27 inches wide.

EMBROIDERED MARQUISETTE INSERTINGS

Bands of marquisette with unfinished edges are hand embroidered in small de-

Bandings to match are \$1.75 for a 4-inch ing in several varieties of lace. Another and slate gray. Width 54 inches. novelty is a Venise lace in a Bruges pattern; the result of this is very good.

Diaphanous Alencon lace is a favorite and has the prettiest of the flowered designs, combining a crackle-mesh in some pieces with the gossamer mesh natural to it. Black laces are very fashionable, and shadow nets come also to match them, and



Four of this season's patterns in shower proof foulard

signs such as dots or flower sprigs in a stripe effect. The prices are from 550 to \$2 a yard; width 3 inches.

LACES

ILK run laces, light mesh Oriental laces in ivory tones, embroidered in metal through the border design with the top lightly dotted or sprigged to match the border, and shadow-laces are some of the effects most used this season. The tendency is towards cobweb fineness with delicate patterns almost like the Jack Frost designs on glass.

Flouncings in Chantilly (coming in sets of widths) are shown, and in all the laces, designs of a century or more ago are reproduced, the Flemish laces particularly reverting to antique effects. The shadow designs are produced by the use of different meshes in one flower or other figure,

écru Venise is shown in mediæval birds and beasts. Vandyke points come in Flemish lace with combined meshes; the floral designs in shadow effect are silk run. Insertings come to match. Heavy lace appliqués that can also be used for inserting in rough weave silk or linen costumes are illustrated on page 35.

SPRING WEIGHT WOOLENS

Note.—Upon the receipt of a self-addressed stamped envelope Vogue will be glad to send its readers samples, or the names of shops where they can be procured, of any of the materials mentioned in this issue. Please state page and date and be explicit as to what materials are desired.

WO-TONED HOMESPUNS. - Attractive novelty. All wool. Six colors combined with white, namely, lavender, gold, brown, chartreuse, blue

FRENCH BASKET - WEAVE HOM SPUN.—Slight fuzziness of the homes warp is retained with the new bash weave effect. Especially good in coll flower blue, pacifique, lavandre and join, which is a mignonette green. Wil 54 inches.

FRENCH CHAIN-WEAVE HOM SPUN.—Knitted stitch effect over a dil onal warp. Pliable and soft but mi Width 54 inches.

TWO-TONED DIAGONAL HOM SPUN.--Wide waled, soft and pliat Width 54 inches.

TWO-TONED STRIPED HOMESPU -Two shades of one color. The dark shade forming the widest wale. Wil 54 inches.

DRUMCASK HOMESPUN .-- Row weave. In natural color and two-ton effect. Suitable for severe tailored suit Width 54 inches.

KENMORE FANCY HOMESPUN Sharkskin weave. Coarse net work effet Eight colors. Width 54 inches. CAMAIEN BASKET - WEAVE. - T.

shades of one color. In basket wear Width 54 inches. STRATHIRE CRASH SUITINGS

Woven of fine wool in three color bles ings. CAMAIEN SCOTCH SUITING.—T"

toned serge weave. Eight colors. Will 54 inches. TWO-TONED WHIPCORDS.—The w

known wale in two shades of color. Raisi cord in deeper tone. Width 54 inches. ELYSEE STRIPE SUITING. - No and smart-looking chiffon serge, with wh

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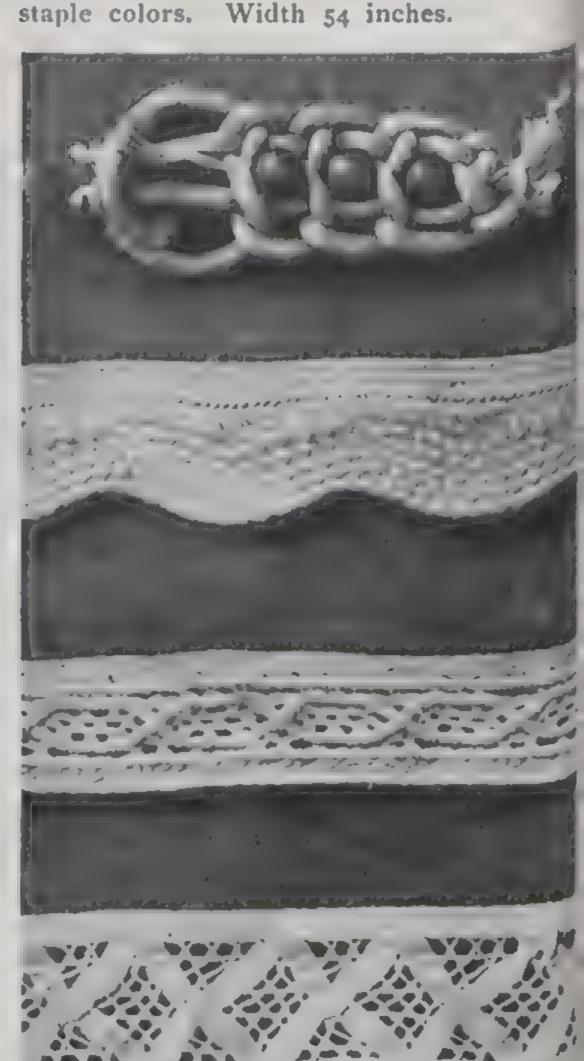
New feather weave. In two shades of color. Width 54 inches. WHIPCORD CHEVIOTS .--- One of best looking of the new fabrics. Eif

colors. PAQUIN SERGE.—Very fine wal Soft in finish. All the new evening a street shades. Width 54 inches.

DIAGONAL SOYEUX.-Wide wale flat, corded effect alternating with usual diagonal wale. Eight colors. Wid-54 inches.

SHARKSKIN CHEVIOTS .-- In the no sharkskin weave, with self-tone stripe Width 54 inches. CHAIN WEAVE SERGE .-- Fine Wa

and chain weave. Width 54 inches. FRENCH BEDFORD CORDS.—Wov in fine, flat cord effect. Width 54 inche WORUMBO POLO CLOTH. — No fabric of pure camel's hair, with a clo fleecy nap. Thick and warm, but light weight. Suitable for slip-on coats, beach, athletic or traveling use. In



FANCY COTTON BRAIDS

Beginning at the top: Indian bead and tail trimming, 3/4 of an inch wide; 95 cents a yard. White cotton braid, 10 cents a yard. Fancy white cotton braid, 10 cents a yard. Tape-and mesh-cotton-braid; 10 cents a yard

WORUMBO FANCY COVERT .- Light weight worsted warp. Diagonal weave. With self-tone pin stripes. Width 54 inches. DIAGONAL VOILES .- Entirely new effect in voile. In wide wale, diagonal weave and in self-tone checks. Width 54 inches.

WHIPCORD MOULINE .-- One of the new materials for tailor-mades. In all wool material of pepper and salt effect. In leading light colors of this season. Width 48 and 54 inches.

BASKET - WEAVE MOULINE .- Twotoned effects in basket weave. Width 54

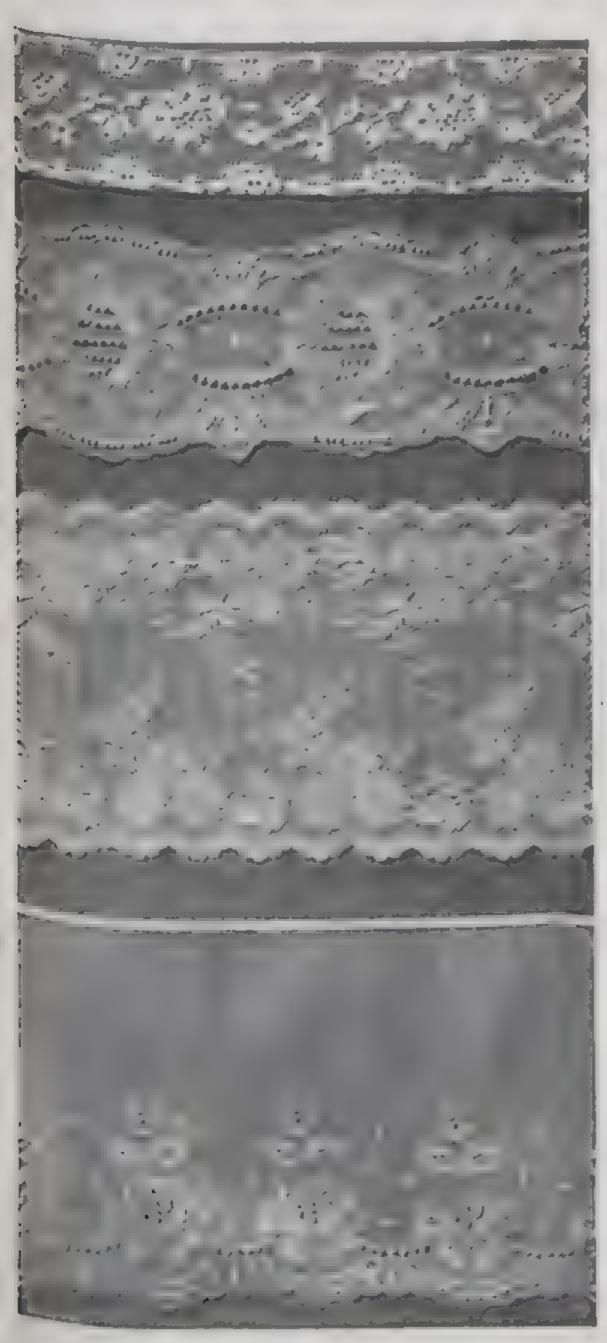
inches. TWEED EFFECT HOMESPUNS. -

Bouché and bourette yarns form stripes. Width 48 inches.

VIGOUREAUX WHIPCORDS. — Especially good for strictly tailored suits. All colors. Width 48 inches.

VANDYKE DIAGONALS.—The diagonal stripe effect meets in a point at fold of goods. All colors. Width 54 inches. Price \$1.75.

BROWN WOOL CLOAKING.—Rough surface in shades of brown and tan, with a line of green interwoven, known as Ban-



PRETTY LIGHT LACES Beginning at the top: Inserting with embossed design, and an open border mesh, in 2 to 3 inch widths; from

\$1.15 to \$1.65 a yard Second: Metal embroidered Oriental inscrting, 2 to 4 inches wide, from \$2.00 to \$2.85 a yard; gold and steel combined

Third: Chantilly inserting to match edgings; in widths 4 and 9 inches Fourth: Metal embroidered Oriental lace, gold and steel combinations; 6 to 11 inches wide; \$2.50 to \$3.00 a yard

hockburn checks. Heavy weight. Width 54 inches.

FRENCH PRINT CHALLIE. - For Wrappers or room gowns. Printed with Dresden patterns on white or pale tinted grounds. Width 29 inches. Price 68c.

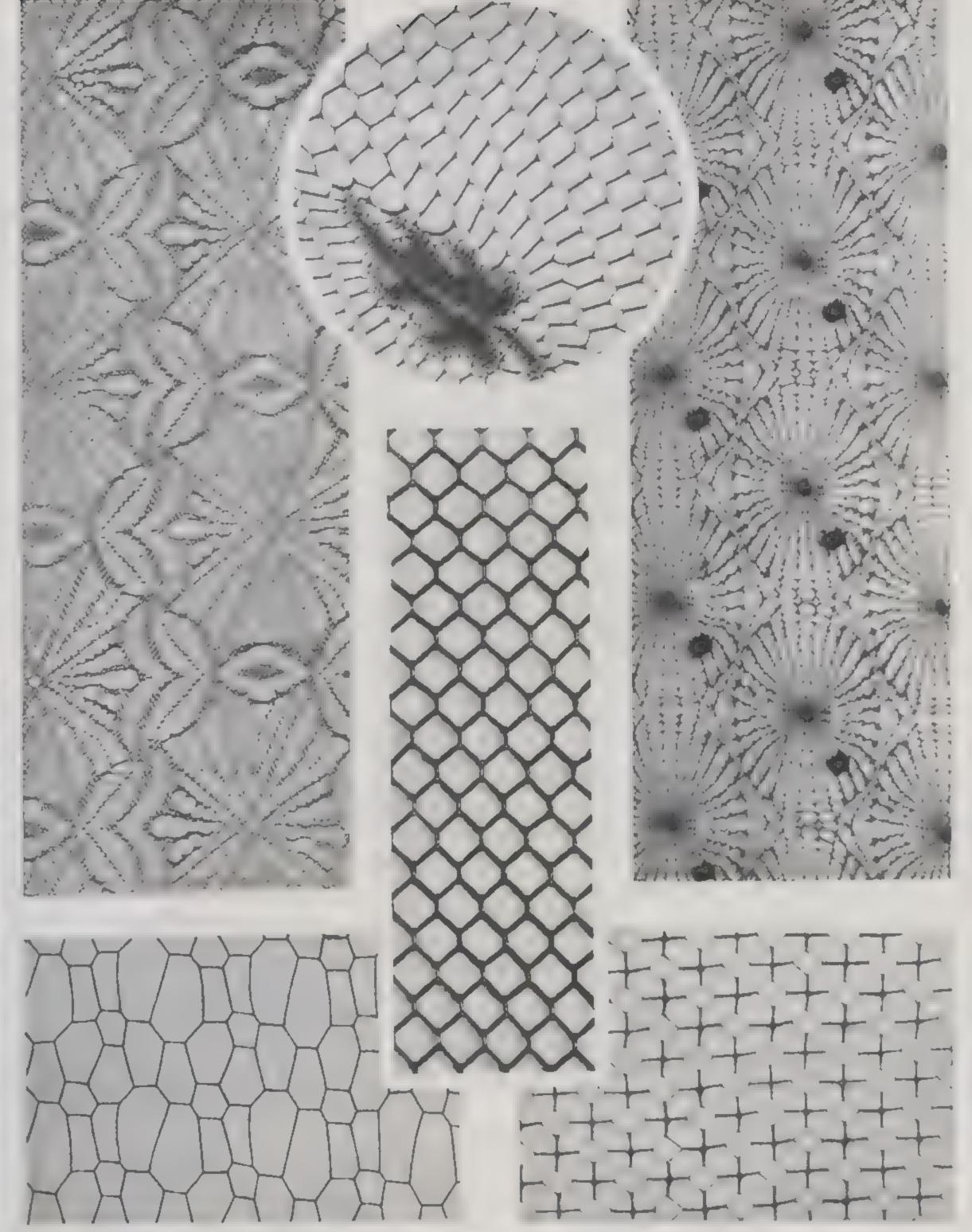
ATTRACTIVE NOVELTIES IN SHEER WEAVES

HIFFON CREPON.—Sheer silk fabric resembling old-fashioned seersucker. Heavy finish. All colors. Width 48 inches.

GAUFRE.—Chiffon weight silk crépon. Slightly crinkled, with a design in relief. Scarf lengths or panels. Width 28 inches;

234 yards long. CHIFFON CLOTH GAUZE.—Satin Striped ground. Printed all-over dots and clusters of button roses or other flowers. Width 42 inches. Price \$2.75.

PERSIAN CHIFFON VOILE .- Printed in miniature cachemire shawl patterns and rich dark colors. Width 44 inches.



New reilings in novelty meshes. From 50 cents to \$1.50 a yard

VOILE.—Even stripes of black and two- in self-tone. Width 24 inches. ed with Persian borders and white centers grounds. Width 23 inches. figured in color.

Two-toned voile. Chiffon weight. Sheer usual designs in hammered metal net and ing colors. In widths from 44 to 48 Width 42 inches. inches.

Width 44 inches.

in parts of the design. Width 45 inches. Price \$2 a yard.

VOILE METEOR.— Heavy silk chiffon cloth with a semi-transparent weave printed in colored dots. Eight new shades. Width 42 inches.

CHANGEABLE SILK MARQUISETTE. - For veiling foulards or satins. Comes in following effects: rose changing to gold, green to gold, green to lavender, lavender to blue, blue to green. Width 42 inches.

SATIN FINISH SILK VOILE .- Twill back with satin face. Chiffon weight. Price \$2.50.

NEW SILKS AND OLD SILKS IN NEW GUISES

OUBLE WIDTH SHEDWATER FOULARD, -Side bands at either edge, in Dresden, Persian and block designs. Middle part in dots, squares or geometrical figures. Width 42 inches.

JACQUARD SHED-WATER TWILL FOU-LARDS.—Soft satin sur-GLACE STRIPE SILK CHIFFON face with Jacquard dots

toned color alternating. Width 45 inches. STRIPED SHEDWATER FOULARD. SILK CHIFFON CACHEMIRE -Stripes in wide spaces. Stripes formed SQUARES .-- 39 and 54-inch squares print- of rings or dots in white on colored

SATIN FINISH SHEDWATER FOU-GLACE SILK CHIFFON VOILE .- LARDS .- Pliable and clinging, with unweave. Eighteen combinations of contrast- Paquin dot effects. Small close designs.

DOUBLE BORDERED SATIN FOU-JACQUARD SILK EOLIENNES .- LARDS .- Narrow block borders in white Light and dainty fabric in evening shades on colored grounds. Blocks an inch with Jacquard figures. Eolienne weave. square. White dots on the middle ground. Width 42 inches.

DE DORO.—Distinct novelty in a bro- SOIE RADIEUSE.—Twill foulard with caded Japanese gauze. Marquisette weave satin finish in changeable effects of white and color. The designs

in white. Width 42 inches. SOIE AEROPLANE. foulard. Striped in color. Width 42 inches.

FOULARD FAN-TASIE .- Twill foulard in satin finish. Checkered design of white on color, and black on white. Width 42 inches.

CHANGEABLE SATIN FOULARD.—In chiffon weight, with white designs on changeable colored grounds. Width 42 inches.

CLAIR DE LUNE FANTAISIE. - Twill foulard in satin finish. Checkered design of white on color and black on white. Width 42 inches.

TAFFETA FOU-LARD.— Taffeta finish with foulard weave. Quaint little checkered design in color on white grounds. Width 42 inches.

TOILE DE SOIE MAINTENON.— Taffeta foulard design of colored beans on white ground. On marron, marine and black grounds, white beans are shown. Width 42 inches.

Jacquard moiré effect

printed in dots of color on white grounds. Width 42 inches.

VOILE DE SOIE OVER FOULARD.-Plain color voile shown over figured satin finish foulard. Clinging quality voile can be had to match the ground color of the silk. Width 42 inches.

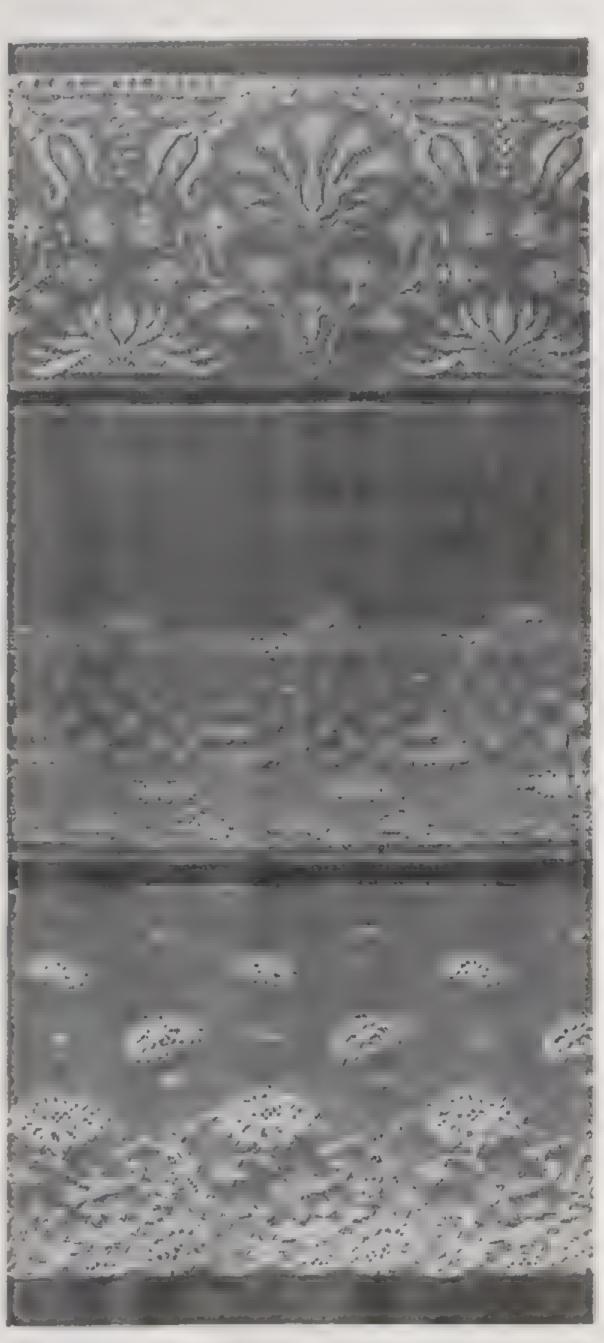
DOUBLE WIDTH SATIN FOU-LARDS.—Shown in bayadère, brocaded, striped and bordered effects. Width 44 inches. Price \$2 to \$5 a yard.

FACONNE FOULARDS.—Broché designs in self-tone and in contrasting color on satin finish grounds. Width 23 inches, price 85c; in 36-inch width, \$1.25 a yard; in 42-inch width, \$2.50.

FACONNE SATIN FOULARD.—White designs extracted on colored grounds in wavy, reed-like effects. Width 42 inches. Price \$3.

FRENCH HABUTAI.—Soft, uncrushable, all-silk fabric. Narrow border design, dotted top. Width 43 inches. Price \$3 and \$3.75 a yard.

LYONS PRINT HABUTAI.—Light weight shower-proof silk. Printed in small designs and all colors. Width 27 inches. Price 85c to \$1.50 per yard.



SILK RUN LACES

-Satin finish twill warp Beginning at the top: Silk run ecru Flemish lace with fancy Brussels mesh, width 9 inches. \$4.50 a yard Second: Silk run shadow lace in antique Brussels pattern point d'esprit top; 12 inches wide, \$5.50 a yard Third: Silk run Alengon with crackle mesh at edge and above the floral border, single flowers and sprigs on upper part; 12 inches wide, \$4.50 a yard. Three-inch inserting to match, \$1.85 a yard

> BORDERED CREPE.—Sheer all silk crêpe. Borders in white, printed in quaint designs of birds and flowers. Middle ground printed in checks or small designs in color and white. Price \$3.50 to \$5. Width 44 inches.

ASPHODEL SILK .- Chiffon bengaline weave, satin face. Shot at back with contrasted color. Width 44 inches. Price \$5 a yard.

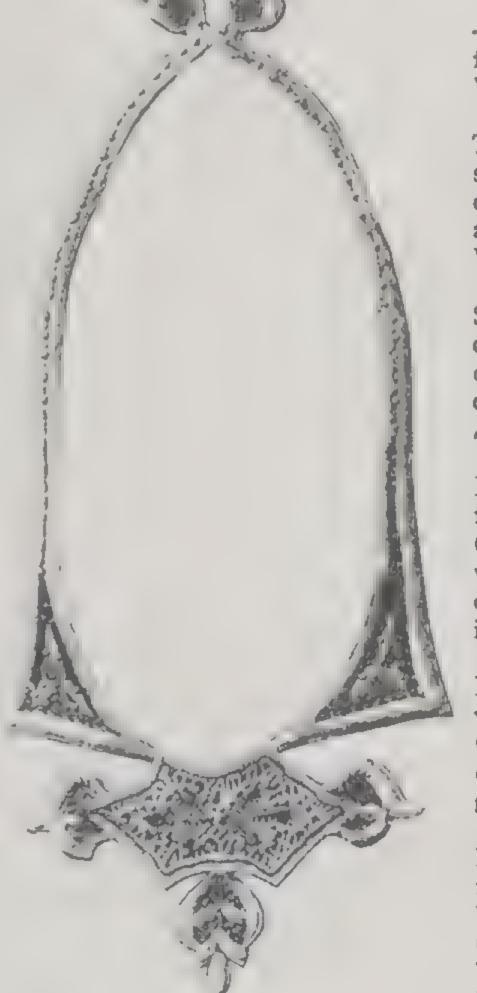
YAMA SILK .-- Pongee weave. Soft and pliable. Solid colors. Width 22 inches. Price \$3 a yard.

CREPE IMPERIA.—Satin-faced crepe with fine twill back,

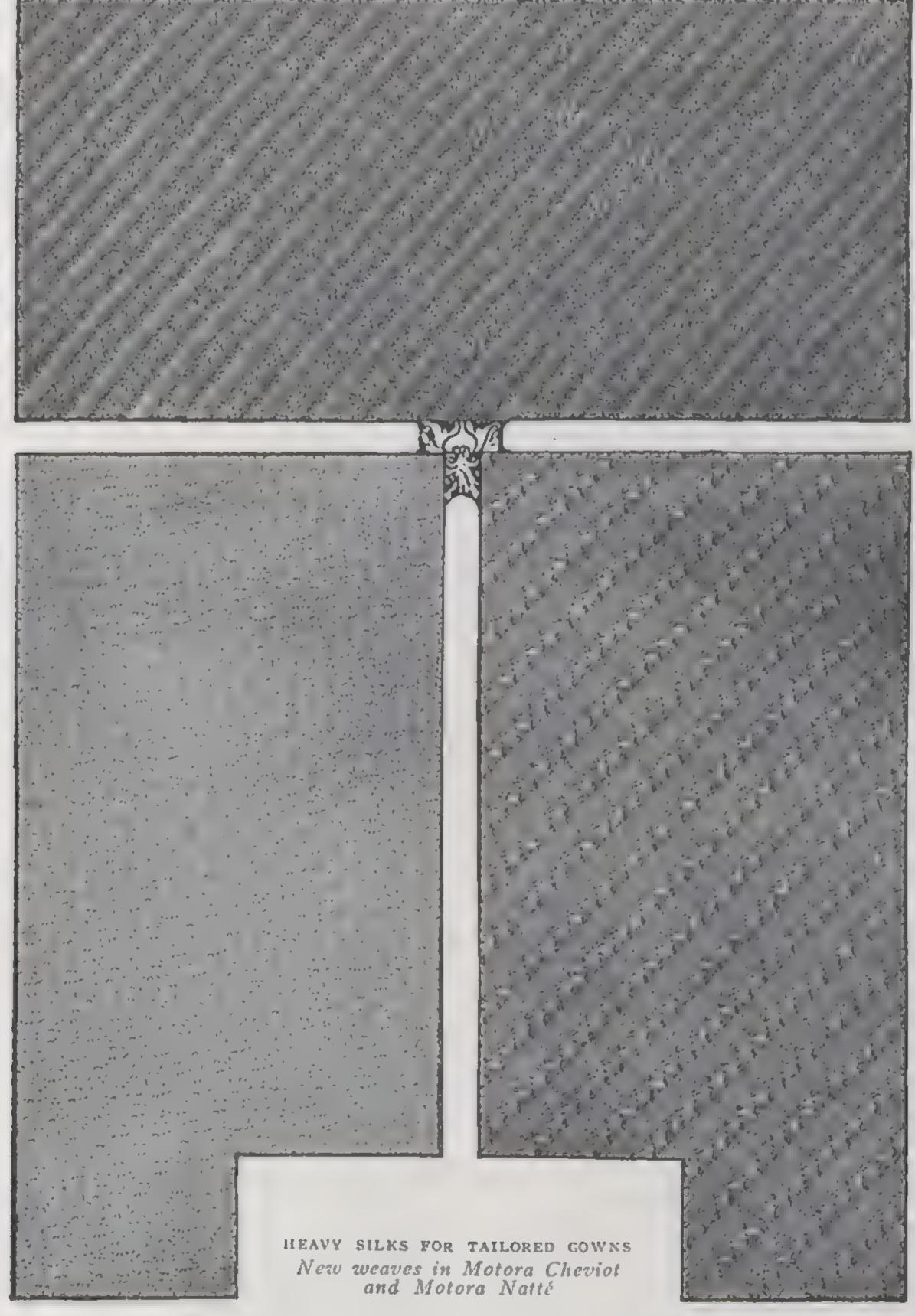
PEAU DE GREBE.-New weave-like barathea. All colors. Width 43 inches. Price \$3.50.

TOILE DE SOIE .- Something like radium silk, but more wiry in texture. In chiffon weight. Chameleon effects. All colors. Width 42 inches. Price \$2.75. BROCHE BROIDERED CACHEMIRE.

-Broché design with bordered bands of FOULARD MOIRE.—' satin in graduated widths. Width 42 inches. SHEDWATER SILK CACHEMIRE.



Embroidered garniture with Indian bead work on hand made netting. Price, \$4.95



All silk cachemire. Will not spot from rain or water. All colors. Width 42 silk fabric with metal threads interwoven inches.

TUSSAH HOMESPUN.- Tussah silk fabric made in a voile weave with homespun effect. All colors. Width 42 inches. Price \$2 a yard.

SOIE CAVALIERI.— Chiffon météor silk. Extract check in white, half-inch size, on colored grounds. Width 42 inches. SATIN RECAMIER.—Soft foulard silk figured with white polka dots in clusters.

Ten colors. Width 42 inches. CREPE CHARMIENNE.-Very fine cachemire weave. For elaborate or demitailored costumes. Width 40 inches.

CALLOT SATIN.—For foundation slips Width 36 inches,

SILK PERSIAN DIAGONALS.—Printed in dark, rich cachemire designs. For evening wraps. Width 30 inches. Price \$3.50 a yard.

SILK CRINKLE CREPE.-Woven 27 inches. crimp. All colors. Width 42 inches.

JERSEY SILK CREPE.—Elastic weave, soft lustre crêpe. Pin checks or pin stripes. Width 44 inches.

weave. In five weights. Seventy-two colors. Widths 24 and 40 and 42 inches. Prices from \$1 to \$1.75 a yard.

MOIRE FLUEDA.—Satin finish moiré Heavy quality. All the latest shades. Width 44 inches. Price \$5.50 a yard.

SATIN IMPERIAL.—Soft rich satin, something like lustrous liberty satin. All colors. Width 36 inches. \$1.50 a yard. SOIE OPAL.-New weave. Three-toned

silk in opalescent effect. Surface gives the appearance of slightly raised threads, but it is smooth to the touch. Width 36

inches. TUSSAH LOUISINE .-Louisine weave, slightly roughened. Yarn dyed silk. All col-

ors. Width 36 inches. WASHABLE COATING SHANTUNG.—Heavy, lustrous, flexible. Natural colors only. Washes readily as cotton. Width 36 inches.

SILK POPLINETTE.—Stunning all with color. Width 36 inches. Price \$6 a yard.

VELVET BROCADED CHIFFONS.— For elaborate evening wraps. Width 38 inches. Price \$12 a yard.

VELVET EFFECT SATIN.—Chinese designs printed in rich Oriental shades. Width 27 inches. Price \$5 a yard.

KAMEELEON FOULARD .- Soft and lustrous. White extract designs on twotoned grounds. Widths 23 and 42 inches. MOIRE FOULARDS. -- Figured with

rice-shaped designs in white. Width 23 inches. Price \$1.25 a yard.

and coat linings. Two-tone colorings. NEW WEAVES AND FINISHES IN SHANTUNG SILKS

HEDWATER TUSCAN .- Spot proof, semi-rough pongee. Made in all colors. Dyed with fast dye. Width

SHEDWATER SHANTUNG .-- For automobile gowns or coats. Smooth pongee. Soft lustre. Width 27 inches. \$1 a yard. MOTORA KOREAN.—New costume silk

R. & S. SILK POPLINS.-Fine even constructed of lustrous tussah. Novel effect is shown in the short woven crimps which give a crinkled appearance. All new colors. Width 27 inches.

MOTORA NOUVEANTE. - Heavy tussah silk pongee in armure weave. Smart for tailored costume.

MEN'S WEAR MOTORA.—In natural and khaki colors only. Heavy canvas effect. For motor suiting. Width 27 inches. MOTORA SERGE.—Exact imitation of

Clay serges. Light firm twill in weave, smart and new. All colors. Width Smart for tailored suits. All colors. Width inches. 27 inches.

COTELE PONGEE CHECKS .- In black SATIN .- Light weight. Surface in and white only. Raised cross thread satin finish. Pastel shades. Width throughout the weave. Width 27 inches.

EGYPTA SHANTUNG.—Chinese pon-

gee weave with occasional rough threads. Made of tussah silk. Width 26 inches. Price \$1 a yard.

CANTINO.— Effective satin - faced pongee. Medium weight. An occasional raised thread adds much to the effect of the fabric. Width 26 inches. Price \$1 a yard.

SERGE TUS-SOR.—Fine close diagonal weave. All colors. Suitable for tailored suits.

OTTOMAN PONGEE.— Ribbed effect given by

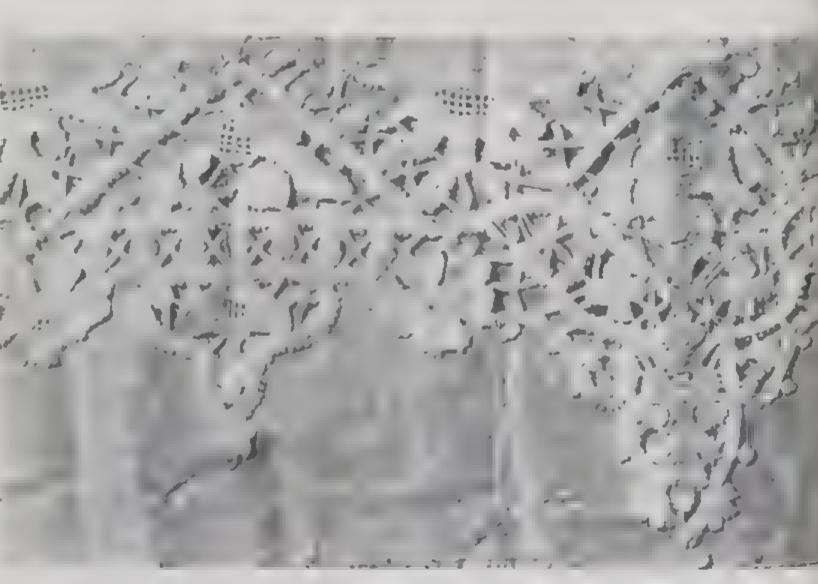
raised lines across the warp. For coats only. Soft and pliable. The eolien and auto dusters. Width 36 inches.

HOMESPUN SHANTUNG. - Pliable stripes. Width 46 inches. shantung silk with a homespun weave. Slight roughness. Width 27 inches.

fon shantung. Suitable for elaborate afternoon dress. Firm though sheer in appear-

COURTAULD'S SILK AND WO inches.

MOIRE STRIPE EOLIENNE.—In bl



Hand crochet Russian lace motif; \$16.50 a yard

weave showing between half-inch mo

MOHAIRS

SHANTISETTE.—Semi-transparent chif- RIESTLEY'S INDITA ROYAL.—No effect of mohair and wool. Heal pongee weave with slight bourer



CORD FESTOONS

At top, white silk braid ornament with coral beads, \$4.95 a yard; below, the cord festoon is \$1.95 a yard, and the crochet ornament \$1.15 a yard. Strap ornament in center, \$3.95 a yard; the rose to the left, 69 cents. At right, the crochet drop is 59 cents. The lower cord festoon is \$1.95 a yard

ance. Width 36 inches. CHINESE PRINTED PONGEES .-

ors. Smart designs on a 27 inches. Price \$1.75 a yard.

SILK AND WOOL NOVELTIES

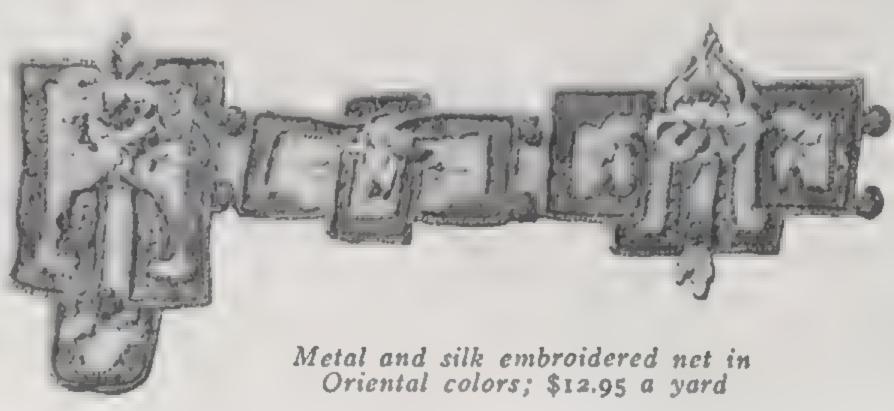
QUARD EOLIENNE.

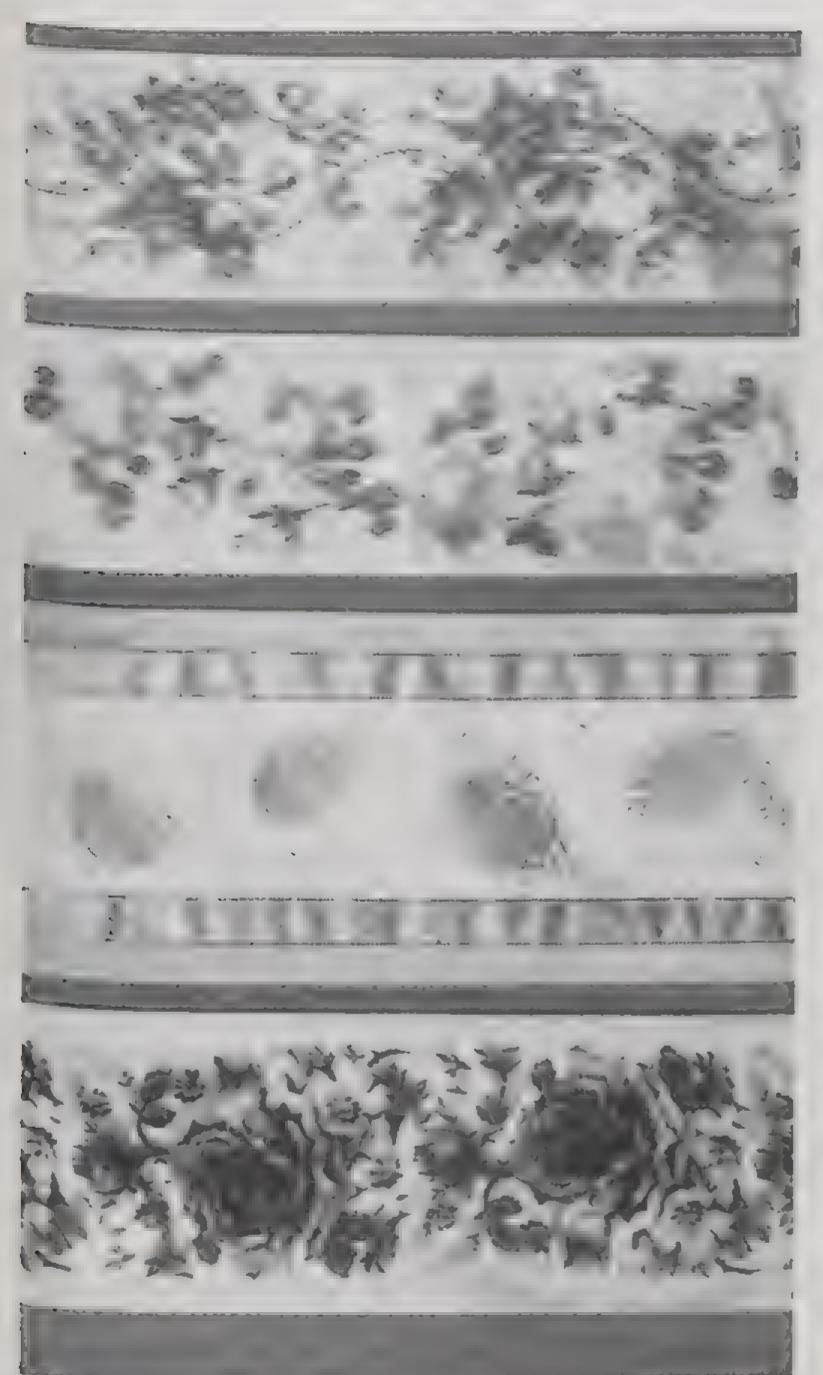
effect. All colors. Width 44 inches. PRIESTLEY'S FAILLE IDEALE.—Ar Persian designs of soft col- tractive new weave showing broken cross

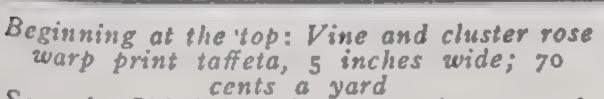
lines or ribs. Varied effects.. Resilient natural color ground. Width and pliable. Width 44 inches. TURKISH MOHAIRS.—Fine lustrout

mohair wool, woven in phantom checks phantom stripes, and many other fancy self-tone effects. Smart for traveling wear Width 44 inches.

TURKISH MOHAIR MELANGE.—II C ILK AND WOOL JAC- Oxford or pepper and salt mixtures of black and white or tan and white. Plain -Silk Jacquard dots or corded effects. Self-tone stripes. These alternating with large dots in mixtures result in gray or tan shades canvas weave. Effect is Width 44 inches.







Second: Chiné Dresden rose vine on taf-Third: Taffeta with embroidered gold medallions and colored moiré edges, 71/2 inches wide; \$1.25 a yard

ground of contrasted color. Width 27 Fourth: Embossed velvet ribbon printed in rose design on light or dark grounds, 5 inches wide; \$1.75 a yard

LINENS NEW AND NOVEL.

INEN WHIPCORDS.—A new reproduction of fine English whipcord. Durable, pure linen fabric. For tailored costumes. Medium weight. Width 27 inches.

LINEN DIAGONALS.—Fine wale. Soft

clear colors. Width 27 inches.

LINEN CREPE POPLIN .- Poplin ribs with a crêpe surface. In natural color only. This fabric has a soft lustre which 18 effected in the weave. Width 27 inches.

LINEN BURLAP MOTOR SUITING. -Heavy weight, pure linen fabric. Made with coarse burlap weave effect. All colors. Width 27 inches.

INDIAN LINENS.—The weave shows slight unevenness such as is found in handloom Chinese silks. Natural colors. In five weights. Width 27 inches.

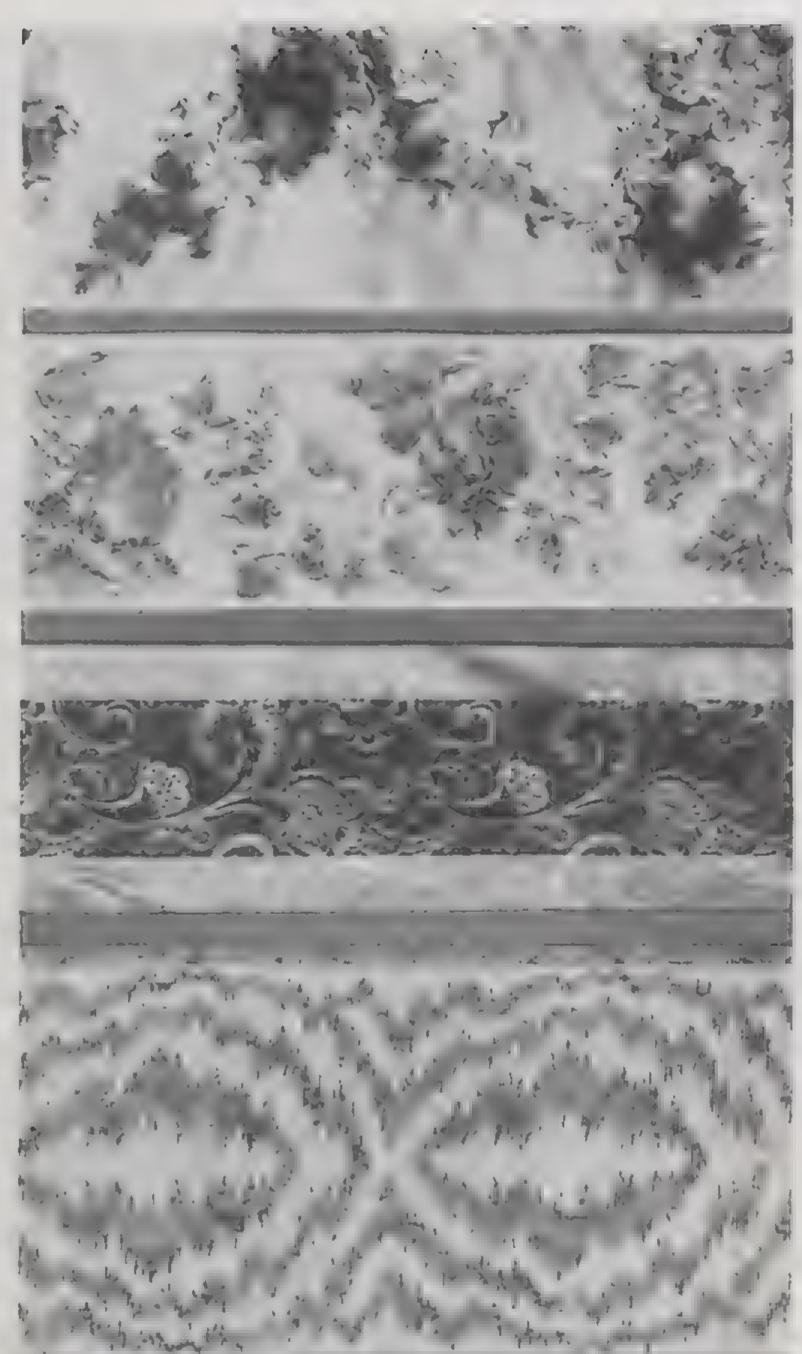
CHAIN WEAVE LINEN.—This disfinctive new weave of the season is seen in linen of heavy quality for tailored costumes. All colors. Width 47 inches.

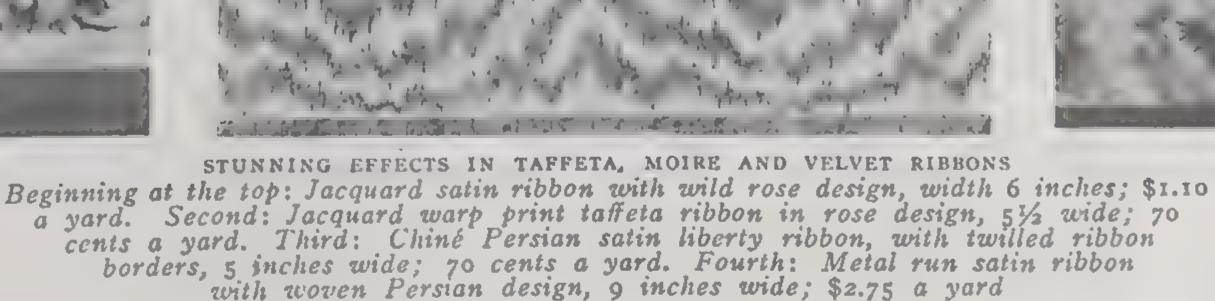
HOMESPUN LINENS.—The effect of Irish wool homespuns is reproduced in these weaves. In natural colors, mixtures, and black and white.

TOILE TUSSOR .- French linen in fine shantung weave. Soft natural lustre. Many new colors. Width 47 inches.

GERMAN SUITING LINENS.—Heavy weight linen woven with a check effect in raised self-tone lines. Width 27 inches.

IRISH LINEN SUITING. — Medium weight evenly woven linen with stripes on

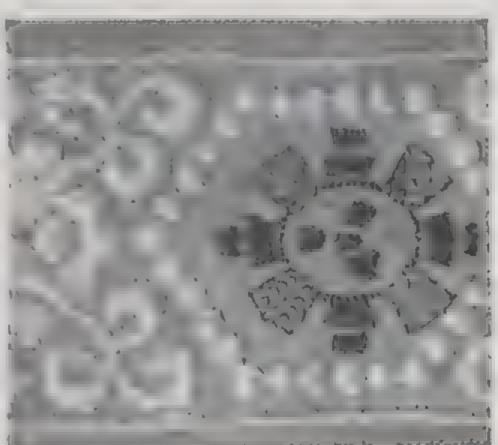




inches. WIDE WALE FRENCH PIQUE. -For semi-tailored costumes. Plain or em-

broidered, with selftone rings or other conventional designs. Width 31 inches. RUSSIAN WATER-

SHRUNK LINEN.—In crash weave showing slight roughness. Bleached, natural, cream and gray shades are obtainable in this fabric. It is very smart for coat and skirt suits. Widths 30 to 47 inches. From 50c to \$1.25 a yard.



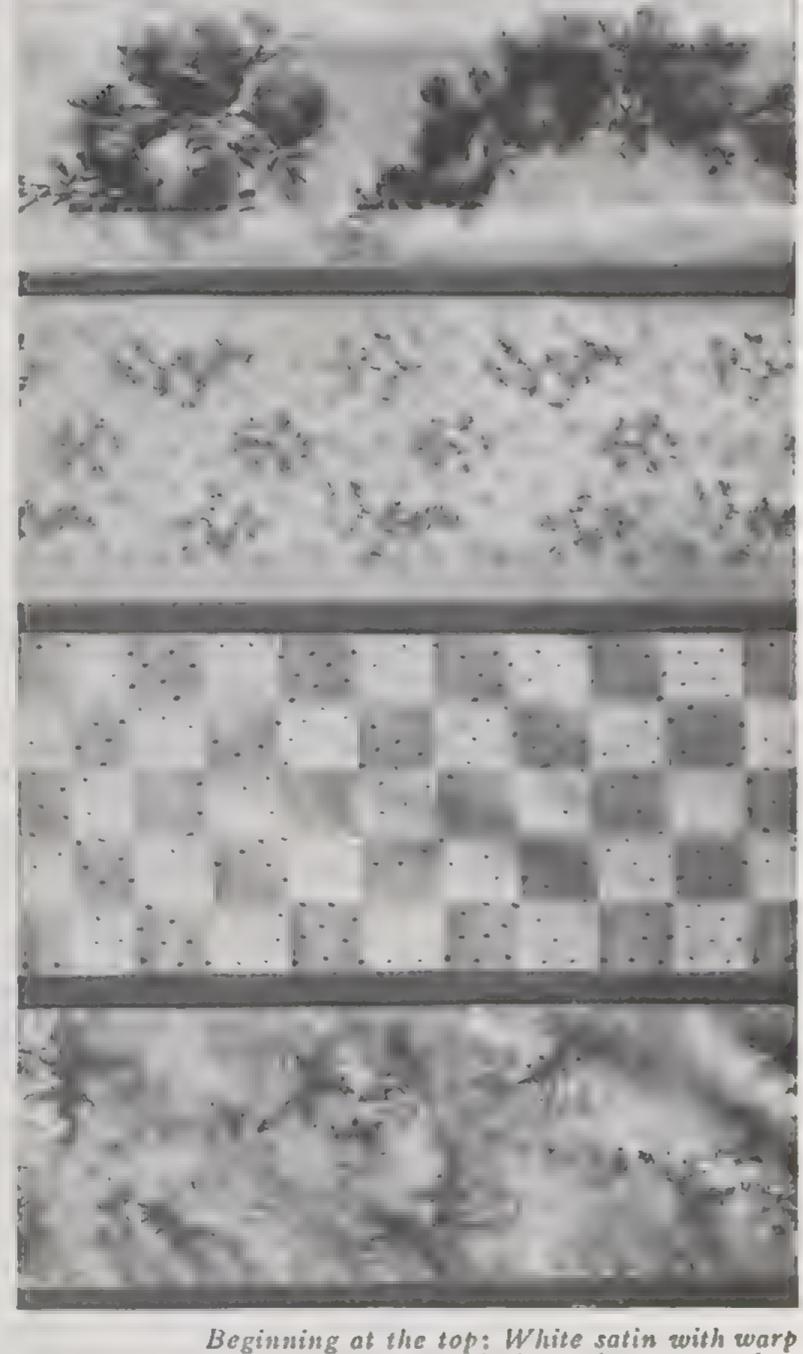
Linen banding with Chinese embroidery, width 21/4 inches; \$1.50 a yard

MERCERIZED DIAGONAL POPLIN.— Narrow weave diagonal stripes on self-tone fine poplin warp. Giv-

ing somewhat the effect of serge. Width 28 inches.

WHITE LINEN CREPE. - Linen surface in crêpe effect. In light medium weight with soft lustre. In 25inch width, \$1.25 a yard; 67-inch width, \$2.50 a yard.

BASKET WEAVE LINENS. — In heavy weight two-toned effects, black and white, chameleon or threetoned combinations. Width 27 inches.



print monotone design of roses; taffeta edges; 51/2 inches wide; 70

cents' a yard Second: White taffeta ribbon with Chiné Dresden rosebuds, 5 inches wide; 50 cents a yard

Third: Ombré taffeta and satin in block effect, 61/2 inches wide; 85 cents a yard Fourth: White moire ribbon printed in moss rosebuds, colored edges

SUMMER MUSLINS AND COTTONS

ROKEN BAR STRIPED DIMITY .-Imported novelty stripes, formed of broken bars in color. Dainty roses printed in surface. Width 31 inches.

SCOTCH DIMITY .- Printed in quaint and pretty chintz patterns. In small and large flower designs. Width 28 inches.

SILKO.—Sheer mercerized cotton fabric. Light and dainty. With some sheen, Printed in conventional and chintz designs. Width 30 inches.

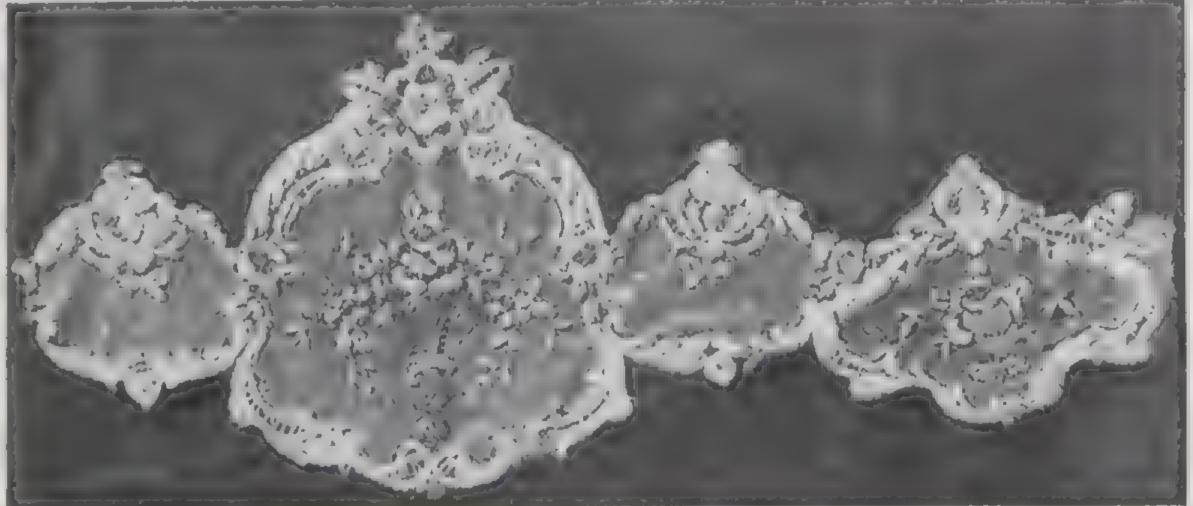
COTTO-SILK FOULARD. - Mercerized cotton foulard. Has fine weave. Lustrous surface. Printed in pretty and graceful designs.

MOIRE EFLEURE .- New effect in fine cotton voile. Many tone printings form a moiré design in indistinct stripes. All new colors. Width 27 inches.

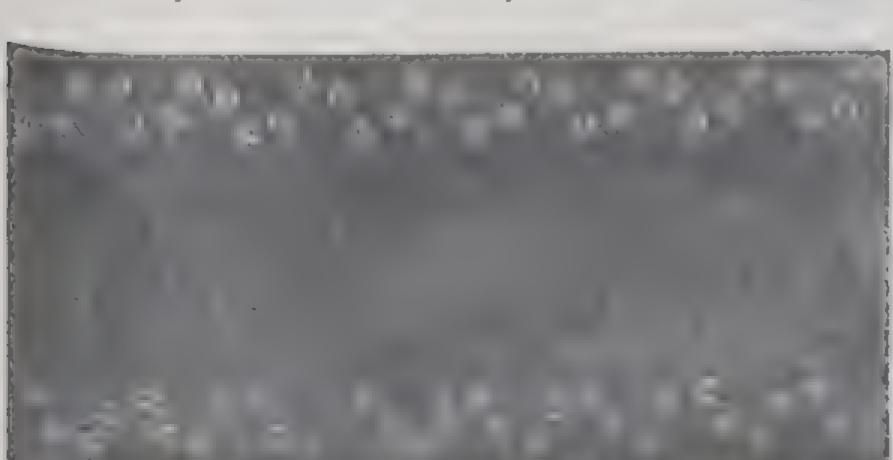
SATIN STRIPED EFLEURE.—Colored satin stripes on plain grounds, 27 inches. CORDED EFLEURE.-Fine hair line cordings in silky threads. All colors, including pastel and evening shades. Width 27 inches.

BORDERED DOUBLE WIDTH EFLEURE.—Conventional or floral designs border one side of the material, with smaller designs scattered over the surface. Width 45 inches.

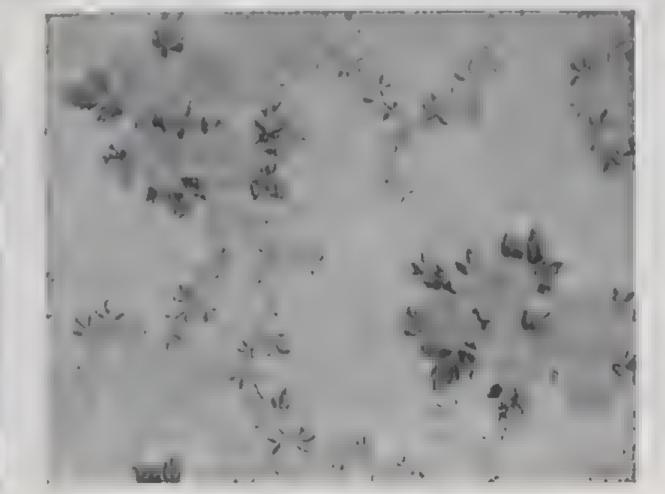
FRENCH PRINTLD TULLE Fine mesh cotton nets, printed in Pompadour designs on white, black and colored grounds. Width 30 inches.



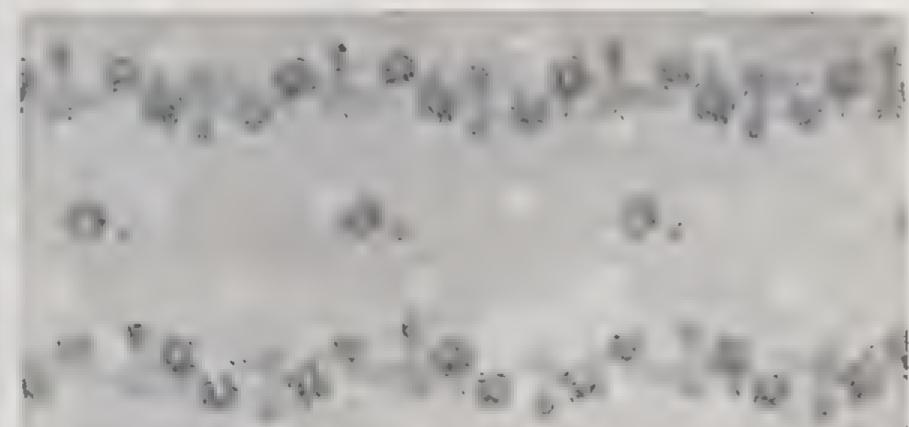
Gorgeous beaded net applique in gold and Dresden colors; \$28.50 a yard



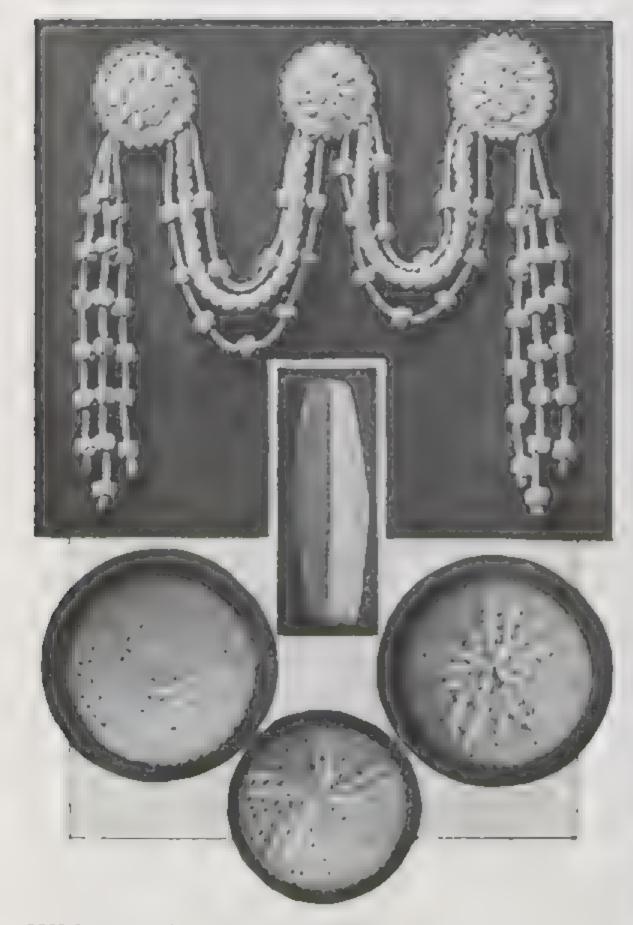
Deyntie mousseline with self tone woven design and white floral vine. Width 27 inches



Printed Scotch dimity, 28 inches wide. Dresden design and colors



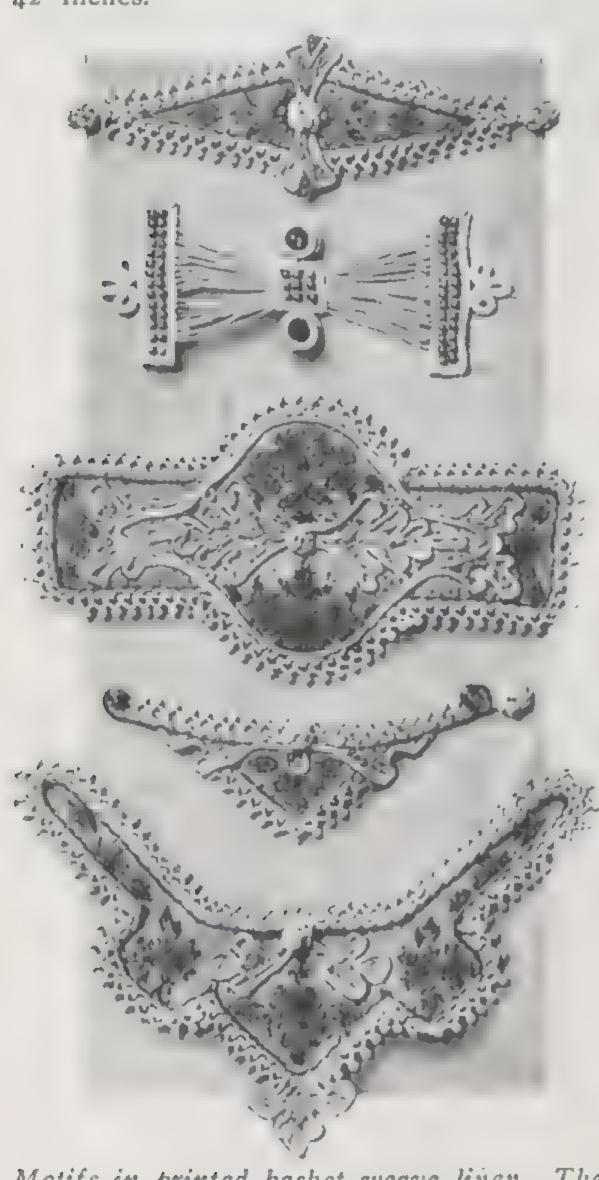
Figured flaxon with printed floral stripes and sprigs in color. Width 30 inches



White cord dress ornaments, \$2.25. Cotton olive, 75 cents a dozen. White crochet buttons, from 25 cents a dozen

DEYNTIE MOUSSELINE.—New mercerized cotton fabric showing a woven fancy dot and an extracted white design. Sheer but not transparent. All new colors. Width 27 inches.

PRIESTLEY'S COTTON VOILE.— Self-tone shadow stripe woven in even width with plain sheer stripe. Chiffon weight. All colors. Width 40 inches and 42 inches.



Motifs in printed basket weave linen. The lower festoon in old blue or rose floral printing, outlined in black; \$5.95 a yard

LOTUS MADRAS.—Linen finished madras made in white and colors. Colored grounds printed in hair line cluster stripes, and white grounds figured and striped in color or white.

NEW ZEPHYR GINGHAMS.—Woven with fine dimity checks and stripes in self-tone or color.

PLAIN WEAVE ZEPHYRS.—Are smart in black and white check.

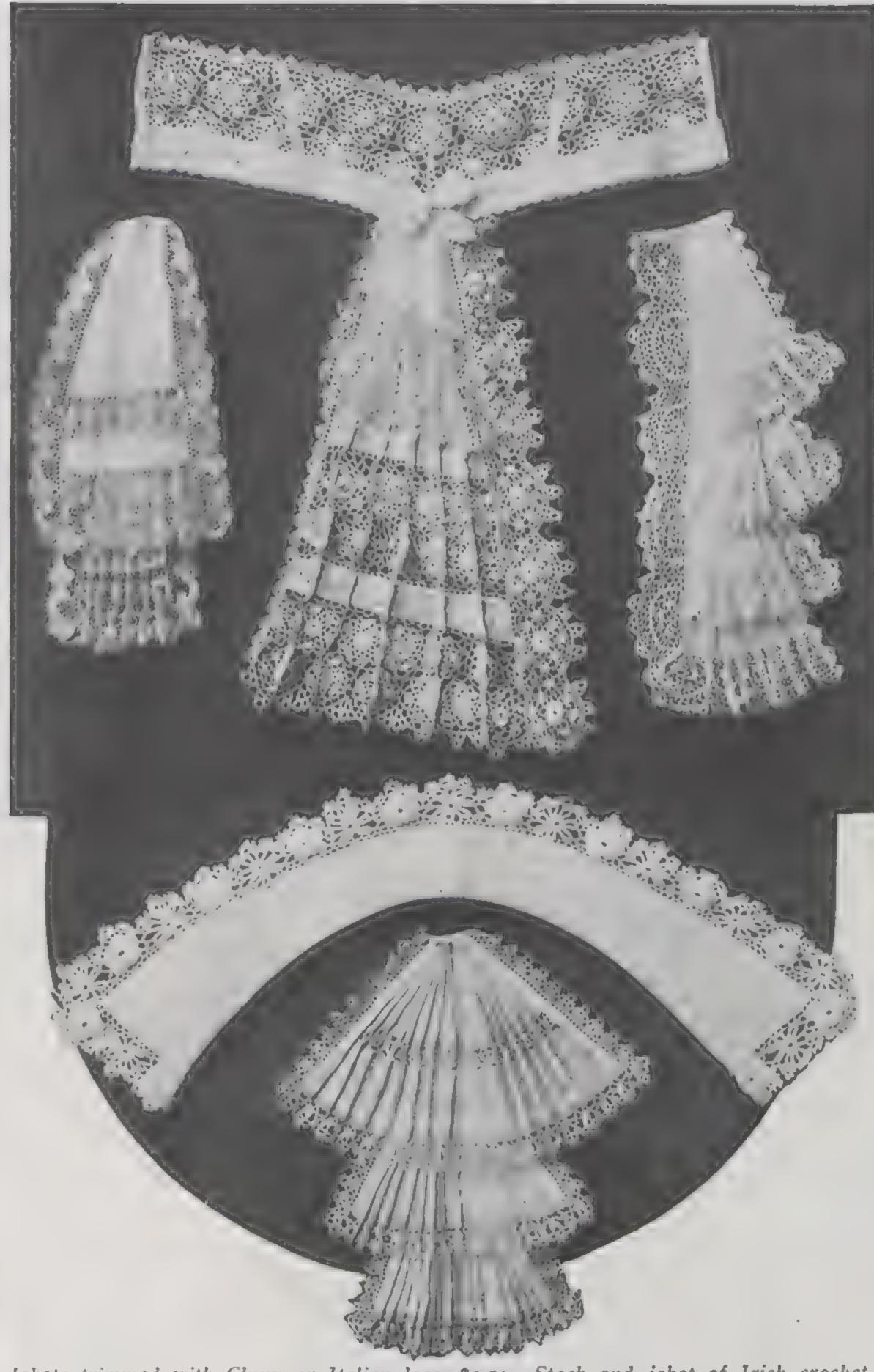
CLAN PLAIDS.—For children's quilted or Russian suits are particularly smart. Width 32 inches.

NYANZA SLYX.— Highly mercerized cotton fabric. Rough hand-woven pongee effect. All colors. Width 27 inches.

BRUNSWICK DIAGONALS. — Cotton cloth with diagonal weave. All colors. Width 36 inches.

DURBAR.—Mercerized cotton fabric resembling French Ramie linen. Seventy-five colors. Width 27 inches.

FRENCH GAZINE. - Semi-transparent fine cotton fabric. Solid colors and fine



Jabots trimmed with Cluny or Italian lace, \$3.50. Stock and jabot of Irish crocket, \$13.50. Side band for blouse, \$4.50. Embroidered linen collar, \$2.50

even weave. Width 27 inches. Price 75c. honeycomb. In many lovely colors. Width WINDSOR GALATEA CLOTH.—Firm- 44 inches. Price \$1.75 a yard.

ly woven cotton fabric with new striped effects, resembling tweed and worsted. In gray and white, or black and white,

GALATEA CLOTH.—
Is very durable. Made
in all colors. Width 29
inches.

SILK AND COT-TON MIXTURES

PROVIDENTIA SILK. — Light weight silk and cotton pongee. In all colors. Widths 27 and 32 inches.

PRINTED SILK AND COTTON CRYSTAL-LINE.—Bordered cotton fabric printed in ribbons of roses and other floral designs. Width 54 inches. Price \$2.50 a yard.

White net banding darned in white and gold, \$1.35

with woven dots. All colors. Width 27 inches.

SILK AND COTTON DIAGONALS.—

Lustrous and fine of texture. In all colors.

SURAKLA SILK.-

Sheer silk and cotton

fabric resembling heavy

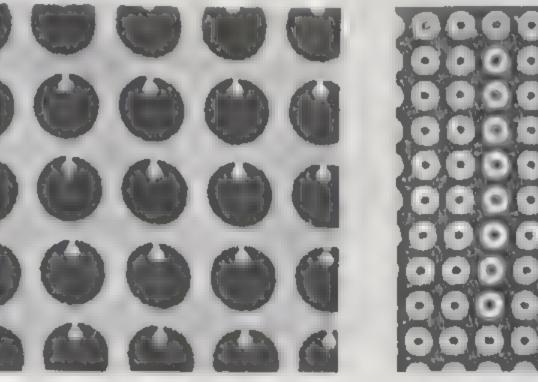
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TON DIAGONALS.—
Lustrous and fine of
texture. In all colors.
Medium weight. Width
27 inches. Price 50c
a yard.

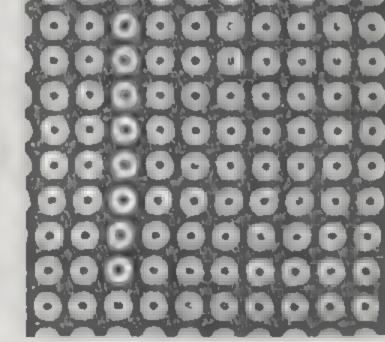
VOGUE POINTS

are seen at the leading milliners in every known color, rather high in outline, and though deep not resting so low on the head as the winter turban. The aigrette continues a favorite trimming on this style can afford it, but there

FRENCH SILK AND COTTON hat for those who can afford it, but there CREPE.—New weave effects like invisible are other devices that serve to make a very



Snowberry dot



Partridge dot



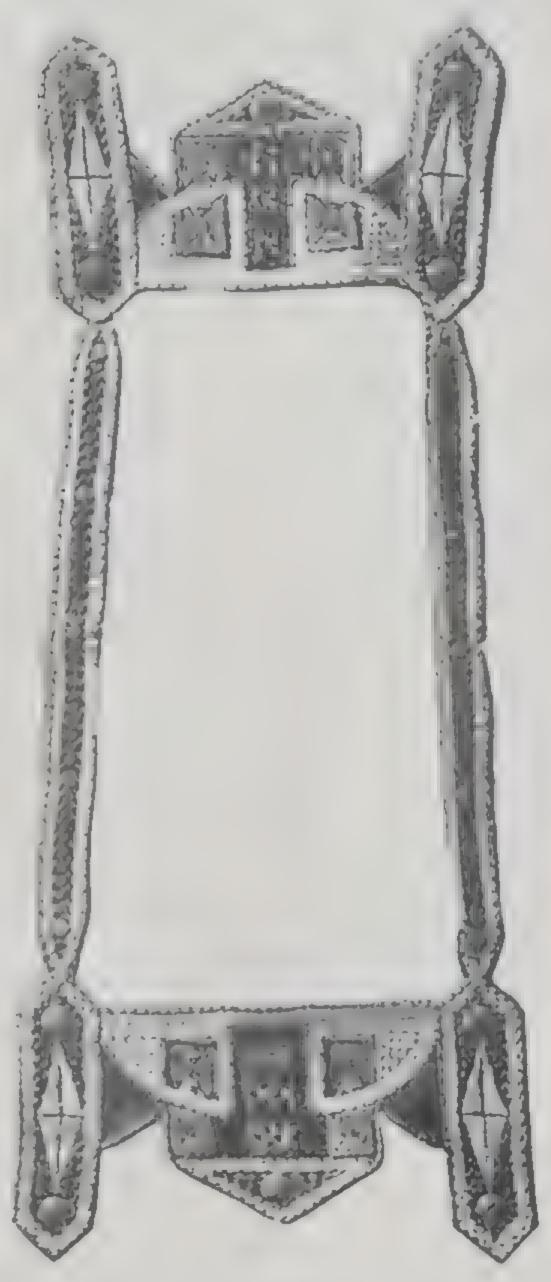
Chantecler design



Blue linen banding embroidered in white floss with motif of tinsel threads

effective decoration. For instance, I was much taken with a toque in cactus red fine silk net, around the crown of which was draped a black veil with ends dangling to the shoulders. The net was laid in loosely caught folds, some two inches deep, all turning up toward the top of the hat. The veil was arranged as a crown band so that it did not interfere with the tulle, the two or three folds below it standing out straight in a small brim. Another toque on the same order was in Sevres blue.

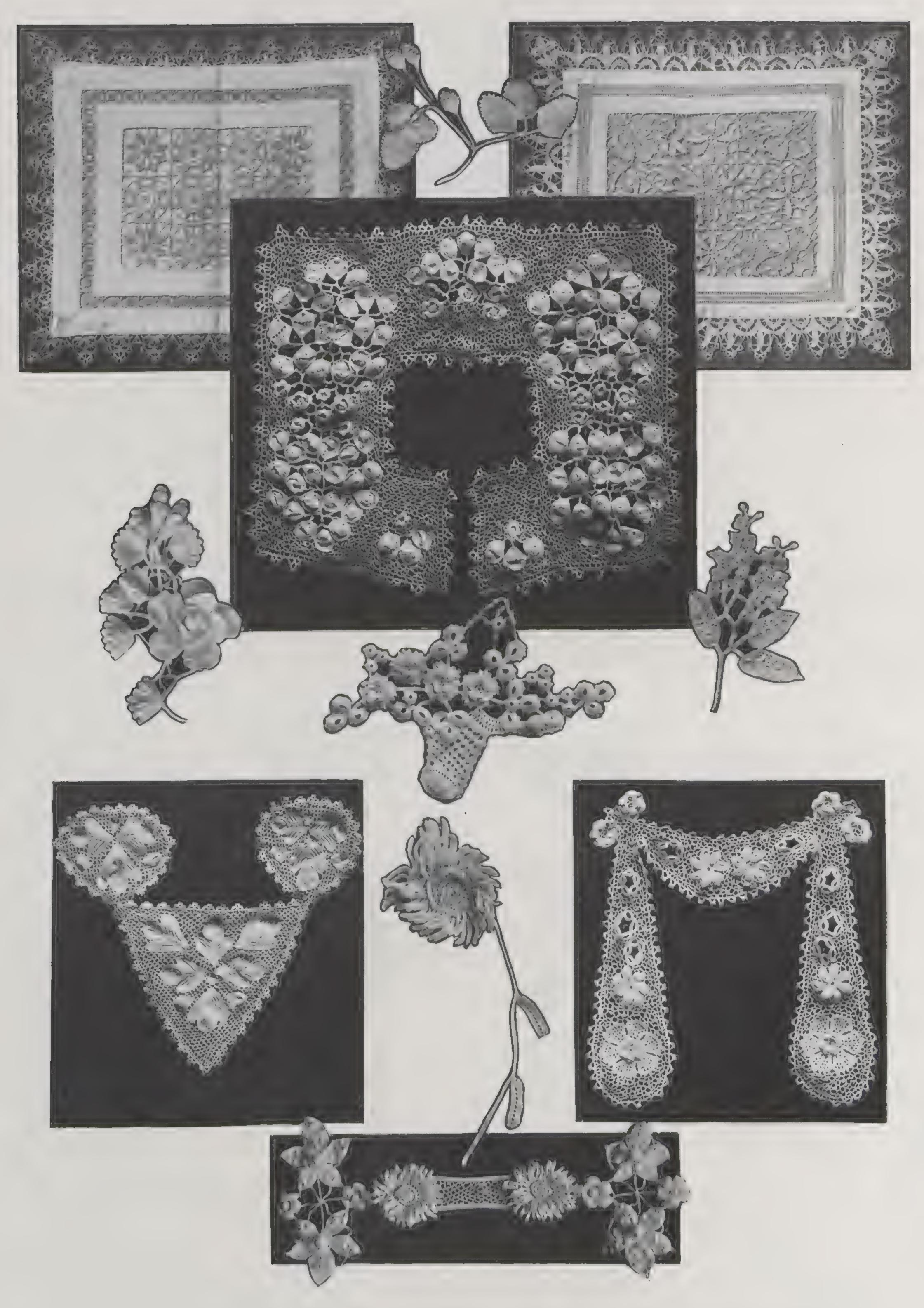
For a general knockabout hat there are charming French models shown that have a distinction of their own and yet are severely plain, in keeping with their intended purpose. The brims are wide, but not exaggerated; the crown low and not prominent. A huge flat bow of black velvet



Hand embroidered garniture, French tapestry effect in macramé cords and richly colored silks; price \$8.95

ribbon, three or four inches wide, is used on such a hat, the straw a rough weave in Nattier blue. By rights, according to the intention- of the designer, the bow should come directly across the back, the head size being large and the hat coming well down on the head. But when American women come to wear it the chances are that they will switch the bow around to the side and tilt the brim up, giving it a jaunty becomingness that is quite as successful as the original idea of its placing. No trimming goes around the crown. It is a hat that is pretty in colors or in all black.

There is a kid for gloves that is but little known on this side of the water, but which in Paris is very popular. It is kangaroo, and is the most exquisite quality, a suede finish but heavier and more durable.



ITALIAN LACE BOUDOIR PILLOWS AND SMART DRESS GARNITURES OF IRISH CROCHET



SMART FASHIONS FOR LIMITED INCOMES

New Tennis Models in Crash and Linen-Separate Coats of Combined Jauntiness and Dignity-A Touch of Blue Necessary in Smart Toilettes—Hints for Restricted Incomes—What to Do with Last Year's Frocks—Some Pretty Models for Bridge Gowns—Suggestions for Slender Figures—Foulards Combined with Other Fabrics and Also Used for Linings

HE French creators have given much attention to the morning frock this season, with the result that these little costumes are so fetching that one doffs them with reluctance for even the finest of afternoon gowns. Three of the sketches give models specially made for tennis, substantial and serviceable. in cut as well as material. They are severely plain, so that they iron easily, and their tailored character is suitable to the strong wash fabrics in which they should be made, namely, linen, crash, galatea, etc. The fact that white is to be varied and modified by colors is evidenced in these gowns, which even when presented in white are set off with a touch of some other hue.

CRASH WITH TURKISH EMBROIDERY

The first drawing gives an original design, its material a heavy white crash in a big, coarse weave. The distinction of the frock depends upon the embroidered bands that trim it; a Turkish pattern in deep, strong reds, blues and yellows, all blended into a soft and harmonious whole. The skirt in the middle back has an inverted plait, stitched quite far down, and the back of the waist is cut on the bias; plain, roomy in fit. The short sleeves are a joy if one goes in for tennis, and far prettier than a long sleeve rolled up, but if preferred it may, of course, be brought down to the hand. The white linen belt, without a buckle, gives an unbroken line from neck to hem. Set under the skirt trimming there is a shaped flounce that is cut separately but flares only a little.

French linen is used for the second frock, which is both unusual and becoming to the figure. The way in which the linen of the side fronts run down on the hips is clever in that it accentuates the length from bust to knee. Under the tab at the hip, which is repeated on the other side, there are laid two plaits, set very close together. The front of the waist is of handkerchief linen laid in waistcoat fashion, its fullness held by the cross strap. Around the neck there is a frill of the same, plaited and edged with a very small edge of Irish. A blue linen belt and buckle finishes the waist.

Rather a dignified gown is that in the third sketch. It is shown with a high collar, ready to serve as a more reserved costume than it is with only the turn-down Eton collar of hemstitched linen at the throat. This flat collar is mounted on a little yoke that fills in under the silk cravat of Empire blue. Buttons of linen fasten the big scallops of the front, and there is a blue kid belt. The skirt, with both yoke and panels, is very smart, preserving a slender outline, and yet it is one of the best examples of the coming plaited modes.

SEPARATE COATS

Perhaps no part of the whole outfit is so much of a stumbling block as the odd coat. If not wisely chosen it remains an uninteresting garment to the end, without style and never a pleasure to the wearer. To be successful it must have a certain amount of dash and jauntiness, and just

these qualities combined with the necessary dignity and conventionality are hard to find. As a rule, separate coats that are shown in the shops have too much in the way of trimming, and so get out of their own sphere, which is properly an accessory of the costume rather than the point on which the attention centers. The most difficult point of all is to find a coat of this kind that looks like a separate wrap and yet is not a loose, bulky bag in which it is impossible to walk. There must be trimness and roominess in one. The subject of the fourth drawing is a great success, as it unites all desirable qualities. It is graceful, with its long, slanting lines coming same buttons and loops. For almost any

ing, motoring, etc., while it is just the that dish in color, are very good. And we as a short skirt does not look well with this. The choice of material depends largely upon what is to be worn under it, but to make it really practical it must be somesatin in old blue or hunter's green, and have the collar of black satin or moiré.

thing that clashes with no color. Black and white checks are good style and fashionable, and come in all sizes from pinchecks to block patterns. But stick to small sizes, for this model—it will not take well in larger ones. For lining use soft In the basket-weave wool cheviots that are so much the rage this spring there are from the shoulders and carrying over the several neutral tones that go well with all hip. The front comes together with these colors and in themselves are charming. Sand color and a shade named from purée use will this coat be suitable, traveling, driv- of pea soup, so exactly does it reproduce



crash trimmed with Turkish embroidery in brilliant colors



Smart tennis frock of heavy white No. 2. Clever little model of French linen; the side fronts accentuate the desired length of line

thing for a street coat with a long gown, can now take in blue as a tint that answers for separate coats, as the craze for it has turned it out in literally hundreds of shades, and a toilet is scarcely complete without some blue in its make-up. In Sevres or Nattier it clashes with nothing, but should of course be chosen in soft

PONGEE COAT

The fifth sketch is in pongee with splashing great revers and cuffs in black satin. However, it is equally good for wool materials. It hangs straight and loose in the back, and its color is slate-gray with a lining of asparagus green.

ODD PLAITED MODEL

The design of the sixth illustration is one that appears in a new model just imported in mixed cheviot of a greenish tan color. One deep plait turning toward the middle on each side forms a panel set in the back breadth of the coat. It is entirely different from anything seen heretofore, and is decidedly pleasing. The front is like the back, but fastens doublebreasted with dark bone buttons matching the goods.

OLD GOWNS TRANSFORMED

The woman who is restricted as to dress expenditure is certainly having things made easy for her when the Paris houses turn out their smartest models in combinations of two and sometimes three or more materials. Any showing of new gowns or suits testifies to this, and if it were not for the danger of maligning ideas that in effect are most attractive, one might use the term patchwork in describing them. Think of the chance of making over an old frock when thin fabrics as an outside veiling are so much used. It is the day of the foulard gown, yet it is rare to see one without a tunic and waist overlay of chiffon or voile. Take, therefore, your last year's frock and look it boldly in the face, for with good handling it will come out like new. Say that you have the standard dark blue, dotted in white. Get to cover it plain dark blue silk voile, which in a thin quality is quite as transparent as chiffon cloth and wears far better. A simple fashion that is popular is a Russian blouse tunic. This is cut around the waist in straight widths, gathered ever so slightly on to a belt two inches wide of dark blue satin or taffeta., Facings of the same are carried around the bottom of the skirt and up the front opening, which is placed a little to the left. The blouse is usually neither tucked nor plaited, and shaped with a round neck and cap sleeves that reach about to the elbow. Put an edge of silk or satin around these also. Such a tunic will disguise any half-worn look or unfortunate spots or discolorations and give an up-to-date touch to a frock that otherwise one might have discarded. This model is the simplest of the many that one may utilize for such purposes, and it is varied in a number of ways. One blue and white foulard had blue voile for the top with cone-shaped ornaments or buttons in a straight row on the lower edge and used to hold up the blouse in points on the

shoulders. With this there is a patent leather belt.

If the Russian blouse is not becoming, make a tunic that hangs in a slantwise drapery across the front of the skirt. With this, to trim the waist, provided it is not a bunchy model that will be too thick if so treated, bring a broad band of chiffon over each shoulder, with two wide tucks laid in. Have a folded soft girdle of chiffon and an oblong buckle covered in it.

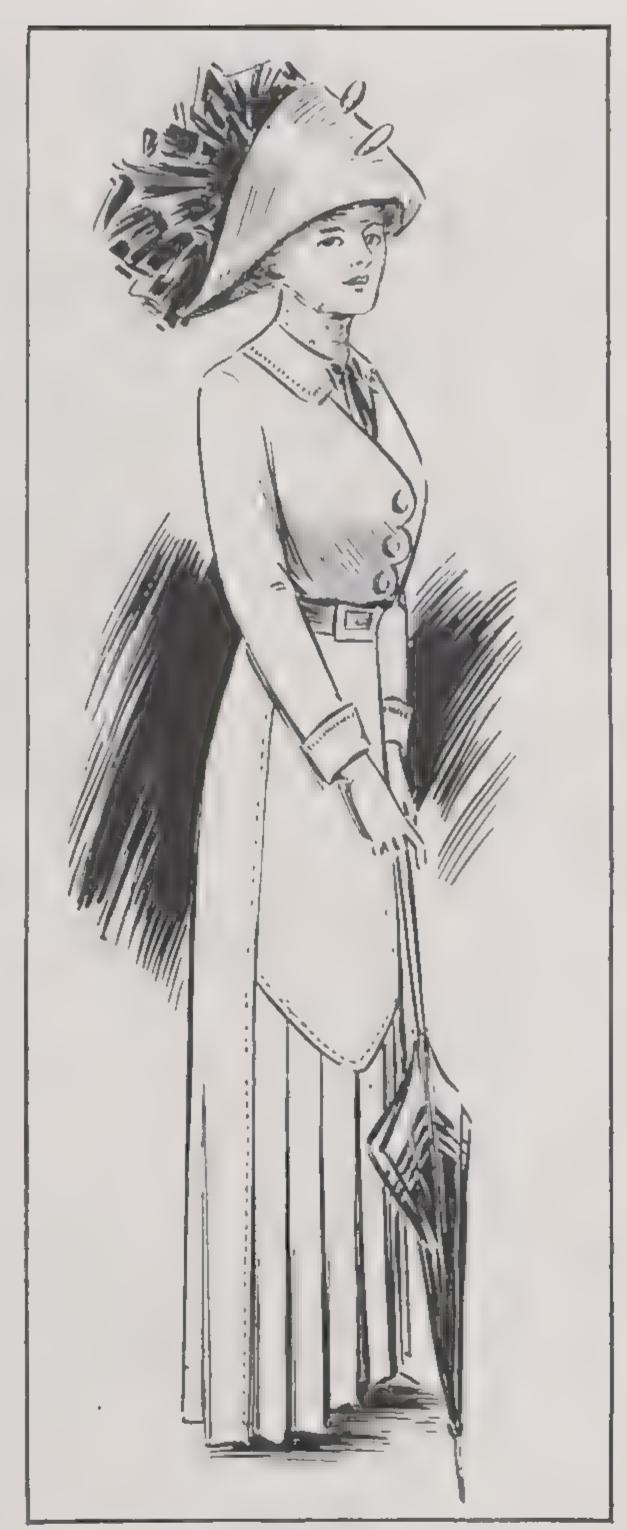
Not only are foulards used as foundation for various transparencies, but so also is every other sort of silk imaginable. Scarcely a wardrobe that does not include among its collection some sort of thin taffeta, louisine or Oriental silk that has served as an afternoon or bridge gown. Unless actually in rags, these can all be doctored up with thin veilings to cover their sins. Such a pretty model that would serve to go by is shown, in which the foundation is a gray and white finely stripe summer silk. The skirt is long and cut plain and circular with a seam up the front. The bodice is a simple, easy-fitting blouse without tucks, running up into a pointed yoke and high collar of English thread lace. Over this there is a loose coat of French blue silk voile. It is embroidered in soutache in a geometrical pattern arranged in a straight border. From the shoulders the material hangs rather full and is not shaped in, but is caught close at the waist by being tacked to the silk beneath. Under the arms the sides of the coat meet and are held together by straps of soutache. Below the braid at the hem there is a straight band of matching taffeta silk, scarcely fuller than the underskirt into which the voile is gathered, and allowed to blouse over a bit. This is an attractive arrangement on a slim figure, but it is not to be thought of by anyone who is at all stout.

ODD COMBINATIONS WITH FOULARDS

It is a new departure for foulards to have trimmings of contrasting colors and materials, but in this season, when all sorts and descriptions are joined to make a whole, there are no end of such mixtures. In the telling these hardly appear successful, and not until actually seen is one convinced of their attraction. One dark blue foulard model, for instance, dotted in white coin spots, has a wide crush



No. 5. Straight loose pongee coat finished with large revers and cuffs of black satin



No. 3. Charming gown with turn down No. 4. This model successfully solves the cton collar; kid belt; skirt with long yoke. The black tie is a smart touch

of blue in its background. Pipings of the and white check. It comes in both linen same are used as trimming around the yoke and cotton cheviot, the latter excellent in and on the cuffs. We are fast becoming that it is not distinguishable except on accustomed to this treatment, and a foulard examination from woolen goods, and therewithout some other color with it begins to fore can be worn both early in the spring look bare and unfinished.

and white foulards, whether the light or wears like iron, washes beautifully, does dark color predominates. Either chiffon not soil easily, and of course does not satin or a soft finished taffeta is used, and fade. With trimmings of moiré or satin long sashes of it, cravats, plastrons, etc., that can be taken off when it is sent to the are often seen. A rather brilliant shade laundry, one will have an extremely modish is chosen, grass green or hunter's green.

FOULARD AS LINING

has demonstrated itself as most pleasing in

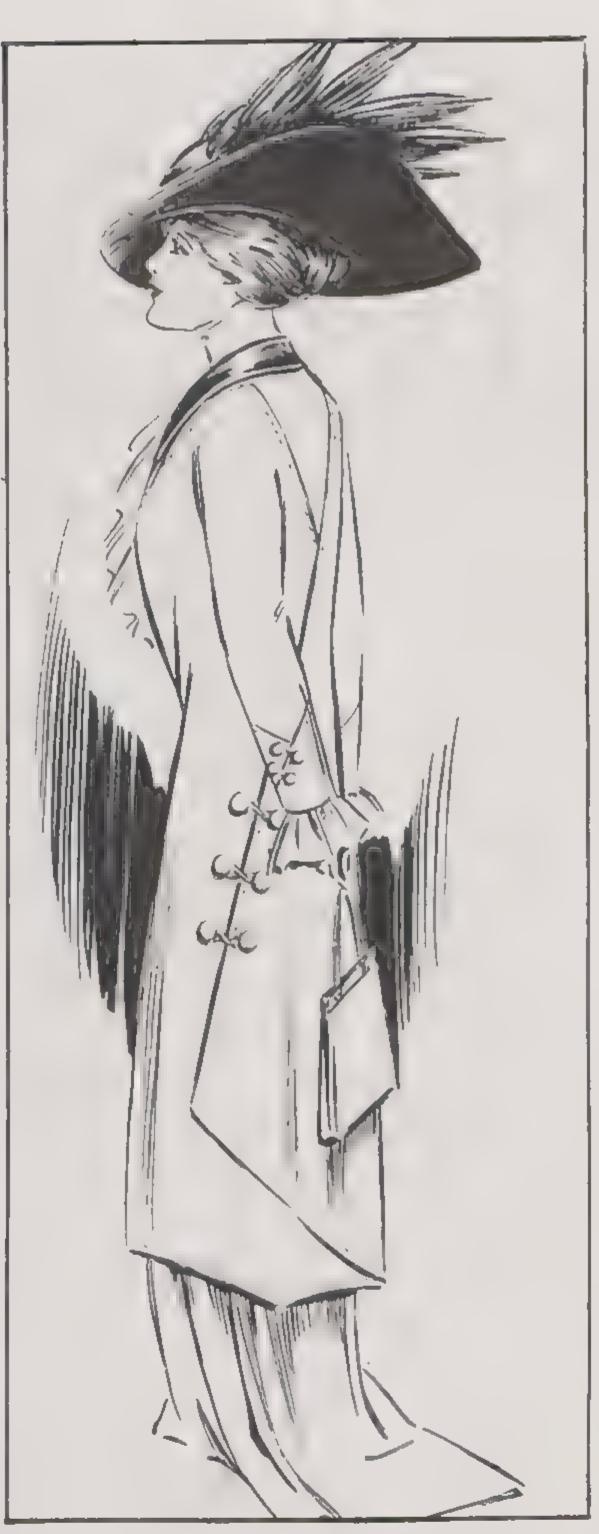
as on the inside of the coat.

FRESHENING LINENS

Don't forget that your faded linen suits and gowns from last year can be made new again by a redipping at the dyers. Or if some other shade is preferred the costume may be changed entirely in appearance, provided a color is chosen to which the original one will dye well. Blue is so much in evidence and so lovely in the green tones that are thrown into it of late, that it is advised for at least one gown.

COTTON CHEVIOTS IN CHECKS

that will give the very highest amount of the knee and another above the hem. In service you cannot do better than to de- flowered patterns cotton voile is lovely for cide upon a good quality washable black garden party and afternoon frocks, its



separate coat question; it is very smart in a check or in a soft shade of blue

or late in the autumn. Nothing gives Green is noted again and again with blue greater satisfaction than this material; it toilet. It is not an expensive material, costing anywhere from 50 cents to 75 cents the yard.

WHITE VEILS

a new use. With dark colors and substan- for summer use in motoring, boating, etc., tial goods, such as serges, cheviots, hop are very satisfactory if made from fine sackings, etc., its softness and pliability are marquisette or white silk voile. These delightful. It is the modish lining of the fabrics are less flimsy than chiffon and are day and is found in the majority of re- not affected by dampness. A smart veil in cently imported models. A navy blue voile, the full width of the material by serge, made with a jaunty little Russian three yards long, is edged in a two-inch blouse coat, is lined in olive green foulard silk fringe. This veil is put on to cover with dots the size of a ten-cent piece but the entire hat. Colors are also good in very close together. The coat fastens up these textiles, either solid or with stripes the left side, where it has a wall of Troy or dots. There is no wear out to them, trimming of the foulard inset under bands so that it is a real economy to buy them of the cloth. The sleeves have a long cuff in preference to more perishable kinds. with three bands running around, each of They do not come ready made; one must which has a cord of foulard on the edge. purchase the material by the yard, and Another blue suit, this time a striped hem and trim them at home. An edge of mohair braided in black, has a red and lace is a pretty decoration, as is a few rows white block pattern foulard to line it, and of silk soutache as border. Lovely new a pongee coat is made up over a brown shades come in marquisette and voile that and white circle and dot. The foulard make up into veils quite out of the oroften appears in cuffs and collars as well dinary and different from those that others will have.

COTTON VOILE

is not half appreciated for hot-weather gowns and blouses. It comes in the same line of patterns as dimities and batistes and is as cool in appearance as the thinnest of them all, yet has enough substance to come unharmed through the thickest seaside fog. Most attractive, simple frocks have been made of it for one wardrobe in pink and white, and violet and white stripes. Dutch collars and turned-back cuffs of lace or fine linen edged in lace are worn with the blouse, which is laid in broad tucks lengthwise. The skirt is fulled just a bit If you are looking for a summer fabric on the band and has a horizontal tuck at

colorings and patterns being lovely. As for blouses, for either woolen or linen suits one may find just the tone of one's costume and have a most fetching matching waist. The price is 50 cents a yard. And for little house gowns, cut low in the neck, it is charming. A pale yellow one is just completed, with a yellow chiffon fichu edged in cream-tinted Valenciennes.

DOING OVER OLD CORSETS

It is always worth while to do over a corset, no matter how soiled or dingy, if it is a good make and one that fits well and suits one's figure. For \$1 or \$1.50 the corset can be cleaned, patched where worn or broken and make quite presentable. Take it to the place where it came from to have this done-most of the department stores as well as the corset makers themselves will do such renovating. If an old pair of corsets is much discolored from wear or perspiration at the top across the shoulders, and the soil will not clean out, it may be hidden by a piece of embroidery insertion put on very smooth and caught flat by stitches all over its surface. This will make it possible to get further wear out of these corsets for tennis or golf, without their showing dingy through the shirtwaist.

RETRIMMING FADED STRAW HATS

If there are hats left over from last year that have lost their color and yet which so suit the head that one hates to part with them, a simple little treatment will bring them into commission again. There is, in the first place, an excellent dye, which needs only to be mixed with water to use it, putting in more or less dye according to the shade one wishes. All colors are to be had in it, and it is most satisfactory. After this is done new trimming must be added, and in the case of an old hat I advise covering it with flowers, as they are much used and will hide all defects. The loveliest flowers imaginable are shown this year, beautifully natural and in the greatest variety. I suppose there have been just as many in seasons past, but it seems as if they were never so lovely. Among them there are exquisite thistles in mauve and white, and these give such a change from the ordinary millinery flowers. Roses in the new gold tones are very smart, and go with any color costume.



No. 6. New model with a novel plaited effect at back and front. Double breasted

SUMMER SUGGESTIONS FOR BLOUSES AND SKIRTS

Filmy Waists and Well-Cut Skirts Not Entirely Displaced by the Distinction and Smartness of the One-Piece Gown-Striped Batiste and Hand-Made Lace a Desirable Combination, Also Waists of All Over Embroidery with Insettings of Lace—Skirts with Yoke and Plaited Effect, Trim and Tailor-Made

by the one-piece gown. It is quite an accepted fact that in point of distinction and smartness the entire frock is preferable, it



No. 1. Waist of fine white batiste with pin only jaunty but it is a nectucks and hand embroidered dots. Poplinette skirt

has a dignity and finish that the other style of dressing will always lack. On the other hand, a shirt waist and skirt in their proper places are established for all time, and there is no more danger that they will be ousted than that we will dispense with any other now practical mode. For morning use, for tennis, boating, etc., nothing is more suitable, but as soon as one requires a formal touch to the costume, however slight, a change must be made into something of more uniform appearance. Three blouses and three skirts from a house celebrated for popularity of designs and superiority of materials are illustrated. In the first sketch the waist is of fine white mercerized batiste manipulated into pin tucks and decorated with hand embroidered polka dots. The small tucks run down to yoke depth in points, divided into three sections, between which there are two groups of half inch tucks. Crosswise over these are carried the hand embroidered dots, which come again on the collar and cuff. Tucks run around the sleeve, set thick at the band where there is an opening with pearl buttons and loops. The back is laid in these groups of tucks, then fastening under the middle one. The price is \$6.75.

Very good is the skirt sketched with this five inches wide. The blouse, its lines calculated to give both smoothness and slenderness at the hips. It is of poplinette, a wash material with a fine rib that launders well. At front and sides there are panels in double box plaits,

O BRING separate blouses specially stitched down almost to the knees. Then neck to waist. A variety of well known to the fore will seem contradictory comes a broad band at the side, placed slantwithout a few words of explana- wise, with tabs below, each closing the top tion, since it has so often been of a pair of box plaits. This is an original said that odd waists are greatly supplanted model and most pleasing. It sells for \$5.

REAL LACE COLLAR AND CUFFS

The second blouse is a dainty creation of real lace and sheer batiste. Every detail is beautifully handled. French veining being used in all the seams. The pin tucking which is the sole decoration of the front has become almost a trade-mark of this house, where it is in such demand that one finds numbers of models in this treatment. One reason of its popularity is that ting out of shape or crooked. Nothing could be more becoming than the soft real that it has to be gathered into the cuff. good blouse for many uses. Price, \$7.50. Five groups of tucks run down the back of the blouse all the way to the belt. Naturally, the lace brings up the value of this model considerably, \$9.75 being its price. Trig and tailor made is the skirt, its yoke short on the sides and lengthening down until its slips under the plaits at the front. Another double plait is placed on each hip; a set of flat plaits, turned toward the back appearing below the yoke. The middle back is very flat at the top, opening with an inverted box plait. In cotton poplinette this costs \$6.75.

FRILLED BLOUSE WITH TENNIS SKIRT

around the cuff of the blouse in the third middle back with a tuck on either side that illustration make it very suitable for a turns out and two to flank the band in the morning at tennis. The tucked yoke has front. This back is more becoming to some one point at the middle side, another that figures than the plain ones, and does good loses itself under the front band. Although service as a change.

there is a collar attached to the waist the neck is finished so that this may be taken off and a turn down linen or embroidered one used instead, if preferred. Price, \$5.75 in batiste.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the skirt, although it is the buttoned model, seen for some time, now improved with plenty of gores to prevent shrinking. But no other skirt approaches it for sporting purposes or general country wear, as it has unequalled nattiness and smartness besides being practical. The addition of a pocket is not essary convenience for handkerchief or score card. When sent to the laundry the buttons may be taken out, as they are mounted on patent clasps. An inverted plait at the back is released below. The skirt is made of linen and costs

LACE TRIMMED BLOUSES

Beside the waists selected for the drawings, there are many others in the collection of great merit about which I want to give you the particulars. There is a plain model trimmed with real Irish of very handsome quality that is one of the most attractive blouses I have seen, and which when worn with a skirt of batiste tucked to match, makes a most charming costume. The waist is without trimming save for quarter inch tucks that run down from the square Dutch neck, outlined in lace from four to sleeves, all the way to the lace cuff are tucked in groups of two. The back has tucks an eighth of an inch in width running from

Irish patterns are to be had in this blouse, which sells for from \$21.75 to \$24.75. The same waist with a collar and pointed yoke of baby Irish is sold for \$29.75. In this the sleeve is cross tucked in a ladder up the outside, with insertion at the cuff and lace coming down well over the hand. The cuffs are nicely shaped and button snugly around the wrist.

STRIPED BATISTE BLOUSES

The material of these is a white ground with satin stripes and cross bars, and there is pink, blue or black to choose from. The pattern of the goods makes quite the wee tucks launder well, never get- enough trimming in itself, the only addition being some tucks in a triple group that are carried down the front to below cluny at hand and throat in three rows of the bust. On the sleeves there are also a insertion. The sleeve is slightly full so few tucks and around the cuff. This is a

INEXPENSIVE TAILORED WAIST

This is one that is very desirable, being of linen, a splendid quality in a practical plain model. Three inch wide tucks run half way to the belt with a wide plait at the middle through which comes the large pearl buttons that fasten it. No collar is attached, the neck finishing in a narrow band fitted for collar buttons. The back is perfectly plain, without a yoke and there is no waist band, the material being left loose to pull down as one wishes under the belt. Price, \$3.95. There is a straight link cuff. A very similar blouse at \$3.85 The finely plaited frills on the front and also in linen has a box plait down the

STRIPED MADRAS

Cannot be too highly recommended for blouses. It wears nearly forever and has a delightful freshness after laundering that does not disappear at the first breath of dampness. A model with straight tucked cuffs and collar and some tucks down both front and back. The price is \$35.

ALL OVER OPEN EMBROIDERY

Combined with insertings of Valenciennes, makes a lovely fancy blouse for a suit or jumper gown. The embroidery is put in up and down in a wall of comes an elaborate rose pattern in both blind and open work. The lace is Of course this elaboration Price \$2.50. is not broken by tucks. The fastening is in the back. The price is \$35.

HAND-PRINTED LINEN SHIRTINGS

These shirtings are made of pure linen flax in an \$2.95. even, fine weave and in the correct weight for shirts and shirtwaists and strictly tailored garments. They are 36 inches wide and sell at 75 cents the yard. The deof four between narrow stripes of another color.

SMART LEATHER BELTS

No. 3. Waist with plaited

frills of white batiste

rvorn with the buttoned

skirt that is always

a practical model

for tubbing

Belts of patent leather are so greatly the rage that a series of graded measure- summer wear.

ments from one inch and a half broad up to three inches. The widest has an oblong buckle of black kid, that fastens with brass prongs through double eyelets, placed in three sets so that it can be made larger or smaller. This costs \$1.95. The next narrower costs \$1.50 and is about two inches, and a third, the smallest of all, sells for



Troy design, next which No. 2. Real Cluny lace and sheer batiste waist with trim tailor made skirt in poplinette

laid in diagonal strips, the \$1. There is a charming belt in this very collar and yoke being en- narrow style, mounted with a gold buckle, tirely of lace in sections very slender as to frame, and with straps joined by a fancy stitch. coming from stitchings on either side.

SEAL LEATHER,

either in tan or black, is also very popular for belts, and is a wise choice, as it both wears and looks well, and being very soft fits in nicely to the figure. With a brass buckle, they sell in medium widths for

VOGUE POINTS

N evening gown that is entirely without trimming save its own material is worth mentioning, as it is in every signs are printed in two way successful. The color is the new shade combined colors and are known as chantecler red, the foundation of very neat and smart in satin with chiffon cloth above. The thin effect, being in outline material is laid smooth across the torso, only, except in one tiny and brought down low in a long bodice, shamrock pattern, which outlined just above the hips in three cordshows this leaf in groups ings. Below this the skirt hangs rather full and plain, finishing in a wide hem. The square neck has no decoration save the cordings, and the sleeves are falling puffs of chiffon, corded around the arm. This is an excellent way in which to make up materials such as figured organdies and it is possible to get them in Swisses, or plain silk mulls and batiste for



Stunning hat of black Neapolitan straw with a rolling brim; trimmed with a thick wreath of large pink moss-roses, made of silk and velvet



Hat of artichoke green rough straw with a large bow at the back, of same tone moiré ribbon; two pink roses are placed at the front



Small hat with high crown, made of solid mass of white lilacs and red American beauty roses



Effective large hat of black chip with drooping brim trimmed with full ruche and bow of wired maline



NEW MODELS FOR YOUTHFUL FIGURES

LEFT FIGURE—Frock of pink linen made with a fitted princess tunic. A rather severe style becoming to rounded young figures. The trimming is of folds of linen applied in a smart design. MIDDLE FIGURE—Dress of white linen which gives the effect of a coat and skirt; trimmed with strips of white embroidery. To be worn over detachable guimpes. RIGHT FIGURE—Russian dress of ecru linen embroidered with brown and ecru cotton. The yoke is of embroidered batiste.



"THE WITCH"

seemed probable, but as the dramatic fabric a clerk of the town court, a character wanted to marry her. seventeenth century, and with well-drawn, he dies early in the play. well-acted characters. It was evident that whose intellectual blindness prevented their ability to distinguish between coincidence and alleged witchcraft, and climaxes seemed certain.

Bertha Kalich (who was making a triumph of her début as a member of the New Theatre organization) as Joan, and her colleagues had carried events successfully to the point where the test was to come, When the nicety of dramatic adjustment that had previously prevailed snapped, and "The Witch" became apparently artificial, with too highly colored surroundings, and the leading player (Mme. Kalich) deserting the sure methods she had been practicing for a simulation too evident to ring true in emotional scenes, From the moment When Goodwife Joan forgot her allegiance, and for shallow reasons of sentimentality consented to unholy relations with a former sweetheart, the slump continued steadily.

Although H. Wiers-Jenssen, the author, who is one of the representative Scandinavian playwrights, wrote and planned with admirable skill during half his work. the sombreness of the theme and the difficulty of providing satisfactory details of genuine worth for a four-act play then became apparent. Perhaps the adaptation, made by Professor Hermann Hagedorn, of Harvard, may be partly responsible, but, Whatever the cause, the fact was undeniable. The original version of "The Witch" has its scenes laid in Copenhagen, during the early days when the mania for formenting supposed possessors of witchcraft power was at its height throughout northern Europe, and as in the adaptation Professor Hagedorn has changed the locale, and the names of many of the characters, he may possibly have lessened the value of the original play.

It would appear that the idea of the author is to reveal the extent to which mental suggestion and self-hypnotism can tection of Joan Hawthorne, the tempera- a lengthy voyage at sea, she yields to guilty he carried among the ignorant, and the mental wife of an elderly minister adroit temptation, and as time passes is prompted danger of it, for historical incident—at in the catching of witches. It imparts a to test her witchcraft gifts by wishing her least in the version presented at the New thrill to the play's beginning when Joan, lover to appear, which straightway he does.

was unfolded a discriminating audience played with deft touch by William McVey, Having planted this thought-seed in his

torial in "The Witch" is grim, and in her, and an additional impulse to the play's the midst of dimly lighted interiors, in movement is given when Joan's husband FTER two acts of "The Witch," a which shadowy figures suggest superstition admits, after the hanging of Goody Whitrecent production at the New in its every phase, there is only a single lock, that this is true, and that he saved Theatre, developments of interest touch of humor. This is by Samuel Noyes, her mother from execution because he

sighed regretfully, and finally went home and he is the sole member of the super- wife's mind Absalom proceeds on his way, half-disappointed. Matters began propi- stitious community who appears-when un- leaving her to think-which she does to tiously, with a realistic atmosphere created der the influence of alcoholic stimulants- her own ultimate undoing, by dwelling from a logically developed story based on to have any intelligent understanding of upon the possibility of having received New England's witchcraft days of the late conditions and people. And, unfortunately, powers from her dead mother. If she her hand on the dead man's head and Into the life of Salem's witch-haters thinks she may as well find out for her- hysterical and confesses that she is what Joan Hawthorne was to feel the oppressing comes a woman suspected of witch power, self, and having loved her step-son before hand of the religious zealots of Salem, and this terrified creature seeks the pro- her marriage, when he returns home after

Laura Nelson Hall as Rose Hamlin in "Children of Destiny"

landscape in the autumn, everything pic- ister, Absalom Hawthorne, because he loved it convinces Joan that she is a witch.

Theatre—seems to be a secondary factor. refusing aid, is denounced by the hag, It is nothing more than a coincidence, of Save for the out-of-door freshness of the Goody Whitlock, as the daughter of a witch course, that he should happen to enter the first-act scene, which shows a New England who was saved from execution by the min- darkened room at the precise moment, but

The culminating scenes come after Absolom has confessed to his wife his fault in having married her, and begin with her shouted wish that he may die. This she repeats under conditions difficult to imagine, and the old preacher, in a fit of rage, falls over and expires. It is not witchcraft but apoplexy; yet this highly wrought young woman believes she is attached in some mysterious way with Satan, and when she is asked to prove her innocence by placing really may be in league with the devil she swearing she is not a witch, she becomes they believe her. And when the curtain descends upon preparations for the execution of this unduly influenced creature, deserted even by her sweetheart, it is something of a relief.

Julia Blanc, as Goody Whitlock, handled a difficult rôle with skill; Ben Johnson in the character of the minister, Absalom Hawthorne, and Guy Bates Post, who played the guilty Gabriel Hawthorne, were both natural, and Albert Bruning, in the part of Master Putnam (a cruel masculine gossip, whose particular function seemed to be to stir the suspicions of his fellowtownspeople into acts of violence), was realistic enough for all purposes; but Thais Lawton should not have been cast for the rôle of such an old woman as Abigail Hawthorne, because she reveals none of the touches of age in her voice and action. Mme. Kalich herself is a gifted player, and an intelligent one, but she can do more consistent work than she does as Joan. The settings of "The Witch" are an artistic treat.

"CHILDREN OF DESTINY"

LATITUDINOUS ponderosity are the words that best describe Sydney Rosenfeld's "Children of Destiny," which made its first New York appearance at the Savoy Theatre on the evening of February 21. Apart from the endless talk that mars the dramatic structure, the theme would still be too contemptible to attract the salaciously inclined, even if more attractively clothed. In spite of her ability eventually to extricate herself from the mire, the sight of a young woman, disappointed in love, plunging into depths of depravity to seek mental relief, is neither pleasant nor reasonable, and surely such lines as "What is virtue but inexperience?" are unconvincing.

This kind of thing may be possible, and in remote cases probable, but if it is only an occasional phase of life why should it be paraded so publicly? Certainly, topics that are so unfit for drawing-room conversation as this are misplaced in the theatre, where young men and women sit together, and while the public may forgive, to the point of patronizing, plays built upon a none-too-moral structure, providing that



Dorothy Donnelly as Madame X, an emotional role which demands some unusual acting and in which Miss Donnelly excels

stripped of cleverness.

words, taxes improbability to its limit and makes his characters boring when they do not disgust. And in addition, no such clumsy, unwieldy play has obstructed a

Broadway stage in months.

beginning of affairs receives a shocking blow when her fiancé learns-in an utterly improbable way—that her birth has not been legitimate, and she then declares her intention of seeking solace "among those who sell their beauty in the market place," and after casting about for a suitable place, decides upon Monte Carlo, and in the next lead different lives after their marriage. excellent. And the final straw of stretched coincidence is added when word comes that Rose's mother has lost her husband and married Count di Varesi, her faithful sweetheart.

Miss Hall is not well cast as the heroine, for she does not look sufficiently girlish in the first act, or rise to the dramatic demands later on, and Orrin Johnson, as Rose's "soul-mate," and Frederick Truesdale, Harry Davenport and Dorothy Dorr, who had the other rôles of importance in a cast of average length, did not appear to special advantage. The "Children of Destiny" should be wrapped in a blanket and

put away to sleep.

THE SOTHERN - MARLOWE THE PRODUCTION OF MERCHANT OF VENICE"

T is the opinion of the public, as well as of many professional critics of the drama, that "The Merchant of Venice" is not the best vehicle for displaying the abilities of Julia Marlowe and E. H. Soth- play, and her associates are competent; but this Shakespeare play, which opened the sessions, and her voice on the occasion of third week of their engagement at the her opening performance was husky and Academy of Music, showed sterling effort. ineffective.

they are mechanically good and bright in It is true that neither Mr. Sothern's Shydialogue, managers should learn that it will lock nor Miss Marlowe's Portia shone with never support that which is unsavory when the brilliance of dramatic artists of other days in the same characters, but each player Mr. Rosenfeld indulges in "conversation" aid intelligent, conscientious work that suruntil he exhausts the available supply of passed their former strivings in this particular play.

In the romantic Belmont scenes, especially, Miss Marlowe read her lines with poetic metre and tenderness, and showed imagination, while her trial speech was Rose Hamlin's temporary happiness at the authoritatively delivered and her bearing and general stage conduct convincing without being unwomanly. Mr. Sothern, as always, proved that he is a thinker. His Shylock, though different from that of great players in the rôle, commanded respect, being calculating, but less malignant than Richard Mansfield's, and less symbolic than Sir Henry Irving's. The other players-includact is shown in the midst of a dangerous ing Frederick Lewis, as Bassanio; William life that has not, however, yet tempted her Harris, in the part of the Duke; Elizabeth to the last possible extent. Here the un- Valentine, as Jessica; Sidney Wather, in usual young woman meets her "affinity" in the part of Antonio; Eric Blind, as the Edwin Ford-another victim to the incon- Prince of Morocco, and Rowland Buckstant side of love-and at the close of a stone and Mr. Malcolm, in the low comedy suggestive midnight meeting they discover rôles of Launcelot Gobbo and Old Gobbo, the efficacy of morality, and promise to did satisfactory work, and the settings were

MRS. CAMPBELL'S NEW VEN-TURE

RS. PATRICK CAMPBELL has gone into vaudeville, and many of her admirers are likely to be shocked because of it. Some enterprising newspaper reporter asked the English actress, who has played so many harrowing rôles for our edification, why she undertook this venture, and the erstwhile star said it was because she wanted to earn the salary it brought. Indeed, now that Sarah Bernhardt has decided that she will enter the precincts of the "continuous," there is no reason why all who may should not heed the call, when it is financially vigorous enough to tempt.

Mrs. Campbell has a twenty-minute sketch -based on a Russian nihilistic subject called "Expiation," and written by Henry Hamilton-which she presented with a small company at the Colonial Theatre toward the end of February. It is not a half-bad little ern, but nevertheless the performance of great art is not one of this player's pos-

From a popular standpoint the tabloid drama of Mrs. Campbell and her colleagues should win favorable recognition, because there is distinct merit to the material and to the manner of its presentation. Moreover, as measured by vaudeville standards, "Expiation" and the Mrs. Patrick Campbell Company are considerably above the average, even if they are not remarkable in the field in which the star was formerly conspicuously luminous.

FROHMAN'S LONDON REPER-TOIRE THEATRE

FTER months of preparation Charles Frohman opened his London repertoire playhouse—the Duke of York's Theatre—on February 20, and judging from the first flickers of news it is a success. It remains to be seen, however, whether or not such a theatre is wanted in the city of fogs, for no one yet has gone through with such a programme as that outlined for this venture, and there will not have been a thorough test until the middle of July, when the season closes. The list of plays to be produced contains twelve new works and fifteen revivals, only three of the latter having been originally introduced by the manager of this enterprise. Among the new offerings "The Sentimentalists," by George Meredith, has aroused the chief concern. Some of the others are to be "The Outcry," by Henry James; "Justice" and "The Eldest Son," by John Galsworthy, who wrote "Strife"; "Misalliance," by George Bernard Shaw; Granville Barker's "The Madras House," and "Chains," by Elizabeth Baker. Besides there will be new plays by Somerset Maughan and two oneact bits from Barrie's pen.

"What Every Woman Knows," "Quality Street" and "The Admirable Crichton" will be among the Frohman original productions to have revivals, and this list will also include Pinero's "Trelawney of the Wells" and the same writer's "Iris" and "The Amazons"; George Bernard Shaw's "Man and Superman," "Major Barbara," and "The Doctor's Dilemma"; Granville Barker's "The Voysey Inheritance" and "Prunella"; John Galsworthy's "The Silver Box" and "Strife"; Haddon Chambers' "The Tyranny of Tears," and "The Tragedy of Nan," written by John Masefield. With the large company at the disposal of the manager of the Duke of York's these plays should all receive adequate treatment, and

thorough handling from a scenic standpoint.

GOSSIP OF THE PLAY-HOUSES

LIVER GOLDSMITH'S comedy, "She Stoops to Conquer," was the opening play of a repertoire to be presented by the Ben Greet players at the Garden Theatre during a ten weeks' season, and in spite of occasional rough spots, the initial presentation contained many excellencies. Mr. Greet made a fair Tony Lumpkin, and the rôles of Charles Marlowe, Diggory, Kate Hardcastle and Mrs. Hardcastle were all assumed by Robert Whitworth, Douglas J. Wood, Percival Seymour, Violet Vivian and Ruth Vivian, respectively. "Everyman," the old morality play, was one of the offerings of the first week, beginning February 21.

Preston Gibson, author of "The Turning Point," a title that is in wide dispute, asserts that he will give his play a New York production in the near future, having received assurances from the Washington authorities that he has the copyright privileges. The principal claimant of priority rights to the name is Gus Hill, who has announced his intention of presenting a play so called next season, written by Edwin Hanford. Still another alleging a legal claim to the title is Henry B. Harris, for whom Byron Ongley has prepared a drama in which the New York manager purposes starring Helen Ware.

Marceline, the Hippodrome clown, who has a life contract with the management of that amusement institution, gave a birthday party in the big auditorium in Sixth Avenue on the afternoon of February 19: entertaining several thousand children of the city at a unique entertainment. Special prizes were awarded the children correctly guessing the age of their favorite, and Marceline proved to be thirty-five years old. Recently a new series of circus features were added to the attractions now being presented there-Strongfort, in feats of strength; Sim Nederveld's Darwinian jockey entertainment, and Van Clive, Denton and Pete.

Beginning March 1, and in accordance with instructions cabled from Europe by Charles Frohman, a tax of ten cents is now being levied on every free seat issued by all his New York theatres, for the benefit of the Actors' Fund Fair to be held in



Mary Mannering and little Mark Shaw in "A Man's World." Miss Mannering is seen to great advantage in her role of a settlement worker

May. Efforts are being made by the officers of the organization to raise \$500,000 for the erection of a new building, and Mr. Frohman hopes that all theatre managers in the United States will follow his plan, which, if adopted at all the 3,500 playhouses and large concert halls, will yield within one year \$350,-000.

Constance Crawley made her appearance here in Oscar Wilde's "Mr. and Mrs. Davantry," which received its first New York presentation of this season at the Hackett Theatre on the evening of February 23. It supplanted "None So Blind," in which John Mason was the star. Mr. Mason is now appearing in "A Son of the Peo-

"The Girl He Couldn't Leave Behind Him" is something of a title, but the one chosen for Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson's play, offered at the Garrick Theatre a few nights ago, with Hattie Williams in the leading rôle.

Cecil Lean and Florence Holbrook returned to Broadway on February 28 in a musical comedy called "Bright Eyes." It is now running at the New York Theatre.



Emmy Destinn of the Metropolitan Opera Company



O. B. Clarence and Arthur Byron with Maxine Elliott in a scene from "The Inferior Sex"

Maxine Elliott has fully proved that women are not inferior to men, in a farce that is gaining in popularity each week at Daly's Theatre, under the title of "The Inferior Sex." Miss Elliott is playing with greater skill than ever before, and the supporting company is exceptionally capable.

cess"-two of the best liked musical comedies in New York-are crowding the every performance.

There is no lottery about "The Lottery Man," at the Bijou Theatre, so far as boxoffice receipts are concerned. Cyril Scott, Helen Lowell and the rest of the cast in this delightful farce will be kept at work at least until the end of the season.

Another financial success of the permanent sort is "The City," Clyde Fitch's posthumous play, which continues its stirring way at the Lyric Theatre, with Tully Marshall playing the most effective—if repulsive—rôle of his career.

That merit has its reward is indicated by the continued drawing power of "The Chocolate Soldier," which is still at the Casino Theatre—the second Broadway house it has occupied during the many months of its run in this city.

Anyone looking for a play with heart interest and humor who has not seen "The Fortune Hunter," should lose no time in going to the Gaiety Theatre, where John Barrymore is giving an excellent display of cleverness in the leading part.

Harry Lauder recently headed the list of "The Arcadians" and "The Dollar Prin- attractions at the American Music Hall, when he made his farewell (?) appearance for "five long years." Lauder is rather Liberty and Knickerbocker Theatres at canny, and it would not be surprising to see him back again before the end of the time set for his absence. Other features at the American included Bransby Williams and Alexander Carr and Company.

> At the Plaza Music Hall Joe Welch; Adelaide Keim, in a comical playlet, "Miss Bright, Decorator"; Henry Lee, and Rice and Cohen were leading attractions.

> Keith and Proctor's Fifth Avenue Theatre offered Loie Fuller, in her elaborate dance (assisted by the fourteen young women dancing in bare feet), as the principal entertainment during a recent week's presentation, and the choice seemed to gain a large measure of approval. Lovenburg's Operatic Festival and Frankie Carpenter were among the other features.

Gertrude Hoffman; The Great Lester; Frederic Hawley and Company, in "The

INTERESTING CONCERT PROGRAMMES OF THE LENTEN SEASON-THE ASTUTE MR. HAMMERSTEIN HAS A NEW TENOR IN TRAINING-FUTURE PLANS OF SOME STARS

a musical affair as a harpsichord recital would be dreary, dry and out of place, but when Arthur Whiting, of Boston, chooses to give his annual programme on this instrument it is seldom other than a treat. Recently in Mendelssohn Hall he played for a discriminating audience a group of antique compositions by Scarlatti, Bach and Handel, which permitted those interested to obtain accurate knowledge of precisely how these numbers sounded at the time of their creation, when the modern pianoforte was not only unknown, but scarcely suspected.

However, the Boston pianist did not confine his efforts wholly to the harpsichord. Occasionally he turned to the piano, and then the artistic results—from our presentday standpoint-were of undoubtedly increased artistic value, but inasmuch as both instruments were used during the performance it was possible to compare tonal results in a manner doubly satisfying, because so seldom possible.

NDER ordinary circumstances such Mr. Whiting had the assistance of George Baerere, of the New York Symphony Orchestra, there was a genuinely antique flavor, which would have been an absent factor had the piano of this day been substituted for the instrument for which the composition originally was written. This was also true of the rendition of the Siciliana and sonata by Scarlatti, for the harpsichord alone, which carried an exceptional charm as thus presented. Altogether, although the average concert audience would find such a recital somewhat lacking in the variety of tone color usual in this musical period, it must be admitted that Mr. Whiting served his hearers well, because he presented something of unquestioned worth. And this, after all, is the sincerest effort a musician can make.

Interesting, if not important, is the term which may be applied to the excerpt from Walter Damrosch's "The Canterbury Pilgrims," played at one of the recent Sunday afternoon concerts given at the New The-In the interpretation of the Bach B minor atre, by the New York Symphony Orchessonata for harpsichord and flute, in which tra, of which he is conductor. This par-

Bandit"; Conroy; Lemaire and Company; Marnello-Marnit Troupe, and Wilbur Mack and Nella Walker have recently been appearing at the Colonial Theatre, while the Alhambra had as attractions Mrs. Patrick Campbell and Homer Lind.

On Easter Monday, March 28, Mrs. Fiske will begin her New York spring engagement at the Lyceum Theatre, presenting Ibsen's "The Pillars of Society" as the first of three plays to be given before the company leaves for an all-summer tour to extend as far as the Pacific "Hannele," Hauptcoast. mann's fantastic "dream poem," and "The Green Cockatoo," described as a unique one-act drama, by Arthur Schnitzler, an Austrian playwright, are the works to be presented in conjunction with the Ibsen play. Mrs. Fiske will number among her company Holbrook Blinn, Sheldon Lewis, Alice John and Virginia Kline.

Adeline Genee is to disregard the advice given her some months ago by the Queen of England concerning marriage, for before June has passed she will have gone through the wedding ceremony.



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ticular musical bit is part of the musical is likely to have a valuable addition to his Comique, invited him to sing the title rôle setting which Mr. Damrosch has made to staff of tenors, for, although his singing in the revival of "The Flying Dutchman" Clover Blossoms. Medium voice. Percy Mackaye's literary effort, and covered was weak in spots, and showed the need of during the coming winter. The last offer the processional—and entrance into Canter- more vocal endurance, he sang a better per- was from Jules Massenet, who felt that The Four-Leaved Shamrock. High bury of Richard II from the fourth act. The formance than has many a foreign profes- Renaud should create the part of Don chant of the choir boys, says the composer, sional of wide experience. He needs study, Quixote in the French composer's latest A Bud of Life. High and medium is taken from an old manuscript of the guidance and experience, and then (if he opera.

notation by H. E. Krehbiel, and the supposition is that, in its old-time form, it was sung generations before. The remainder of the programme, which was repeated two evenings afterward at Carnegie Hall, included for the first time in this city the performance of two movements from Mozkowski's third suite; three movements from Berlioz' "Romeo and Juliet," Mendelssohn's Spring Song and the "Ride of the Valkeries." It was a well - made programme and com-

mendably played.



Geraldine Farrar as "Tosca" at the Metropolitan

If Mischa Elman is not already the peer of living violinists, it will not be long before he is universally admitted to be such. This nineteen-year-old player startled the most blasé a few months ago, when he' made his American début, and on this occasion an expert who has been writing professionally of music and musicians for nearly forty years said: "He is the genuine product—he is truly great." This year he returned to New York a broader artist, with a more beautiful tone than before, and technically superior even to the violinist of a season ago. He was a great artist before he sailed to Europe last spring, but

he is still greater now. He lacks occasionally in poise and solidity, in the essentially classical compositions, though it must be admitted that it is seldom, and even then only slightly. In the freer numbers of more modern character Elman is almost incomparable, boy though he is, and on the afternoon of February 19, in Carnegie Hall, he played a recital that stamped him as little short of a genius. At this concert he played the Bach Chaconne-a classical piece de resistance-with steadiness, precision and finish of superlative kind, and at its conclusion he was given an ovation such as seldom is accorded a musician. In the less severe com- Papillette Carissimi positions he played with well-governed tem- 'O' wuesst ich doch den perament, flawless execution and wealth of tone in the widest possible varieties. It O Nachtigall..... Brahms was a masterful performance to the last Das Maedchen spricht, detail, and well nigh perfect, though measured by the loftiest standard. The pro- Meine Liebe ist gruen,

gramme complete is as follows:

Orville Harrold, a young tenor whom Oscar Hammerstein discovered singing in vaudeville, and who has been under training for the last two months preparatory to finishing his studies with Jean de Reszke, made a sort of preliminary début at the Manhattan Opera House about the middle of February as Canio in "I Pagliacci," and scored a success under trying circumstances. Harrold-said to be in his thirties-has a smooth, free tenor voice of lyric character, yet of ample power for dramatic rôles demanding a robust organ. Just now he sings with exaggerated style, and squeezes his tones when he sings mezza-voce and piano-defects which militate against proper artistic results. At his concert appearances Harrold has won his audiences by the beauty of his voice, and a natural style that is inherently true in accurate musical feeling. But there was a desire to hear him under the more trying conditions of singing an entire operatic rôle, and for this reason he was given an opportunity, which proved to be a difficult test. That he should have acquitted himself so well is an indication that next season Mr. Hammerstein

sixteenth century, modernized from the old does not become spoiled by success) his

chances for a career seem brighter, than any tenor America duced a few weeks has produced-pos- ago at Rome, seems sibly excepting Ri- to have fared rather cardo Martin—in a better than the same score of years. Mr. composer's "Maia," Hammerstein is not which flattened into apt to make a mis- failure under its take.

lich, a young basso cantante who re- wide popularity, and cently arrived in many will be glad this country, made if this is the case, his New York début for the writer of in Mendelssohn Hall on the evening of created nothing of February 24. He moment for many sang the following years. Siegfried programme, a review of which will appear in the next operatic composiissue of Vogue.

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Carew, 1589-1639).

.by, 1639-1701).

Ballads— Verrath (Lemcke), J. Brahms Es. war ein König in ThuleLisst Die drie Zigeuner..Liszt Der Zwerg (von Collin)F. Schubert Herr Oluf (Herder),

Mme. Kirkby-Lunn's recital, given in Carnegie Hall on Thursday afternoon, February 24, which will also have detailed consideration later, was as follows:

EdwardLoewe

Giote al canto mio...Peri Piangero la sorte mia, Haendel

Wag zurueck...Brahms

Brahms L'esclaveLalo Concerto D major Paganini Il pleure dans mon coeur, Debussy

Beau Soir......Debussy

To Me at My Fifth Floor Win-

Anakreons Grab.... Verschwiegene Liebe..... \ ... Hugo Wolf Der Freund.....

Mme. Gerville-Reache, of the Manhattan Opera Company, will sing in concert after the close of the opera season here. She has been engaged by Waiter Damrosch to appear with the New York Symphony Orchestra at a music festival to be given at Spartanburg on April 15.

Allen Hinckley, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, a basso of fine ability, is another of the opera principals who will sing after the regular work of the year is past. Mr. Hinckley is to give a song recital in Philadelphia this month, and another in Northampton, Massachusetts.

Maurice Renaud, the baritone, has been much sought after recently to sing in important operatic productions abroad next winter, but because of prior engagements at the Manhattan Opera House, in New York, has been obliged to decline them all. The directors of the Paris Opera House wanted Renaud to create the rôle in the winter, and M. Carre, of the Opera Sweet Be Your Dreams. For high and

Leon cavallo's "Malbruk," profirst effertabe fore the Italian, public. Reinold van War- It is predicted that "Malbruk" will gain "I Pagliacci" has Wagner's latest attempt in the field of tich, however, has

Dichterbebe (Heine)........Schumann not been so fortunate, "Banadietrich" hav- and low voices. ing been joked over ever since its premier Horatio W. Parker at Carlsruhe. In this instance it is not a

He That Loves a Rosy Cheek (Thomas From all accounts it appears that a genuinely popular opera has been forthcoming The Complacent Lover (Sir Charles Sel- in Franco Leoni's new work, "Tzigane,"

now playing, with triumph in Genoa, critics and the public generally uniting in declaring the music to be exceptional in interest as well as value. Sonzogno, the publisher, is arranging with Messrs. Chappell to tour Italy with the opera.

Maurice Renaud as Baron Scarpia in "Tosca"

newest task Richard Strauss has set out to accomplish, and he is reported to have half completed it. The work is to be called "Ochs von Lerchenau," and mannsthal.

The final performance of "Elektra" on March 4 drew one of the largest audiences of the season to the Manhattan Opera House. Under the circumstances Mr. Hammerstein may be induced

to add at least one

> The impersonation of the title rôle by Mme. Mazarin is still extraordinary in its conception and its effect. The performance as a whole naturally is much ances.

A dinner was given at the Liederkranz Club in honor of Walter Damrosch on Wednesday evening, March 9, in celebration of his twenty-fifth anniversary as a conductor.

Marguerita Sylva has been enjoined from singing under the management of anyone but Oscar Hammerstein. The court upheld a contract made July 1, 1909, in Paris, although Mme. Sylva pleaded that the contract was invalid because it had not been signed by her husband as required by French law, under which her counsel sought to bring it.

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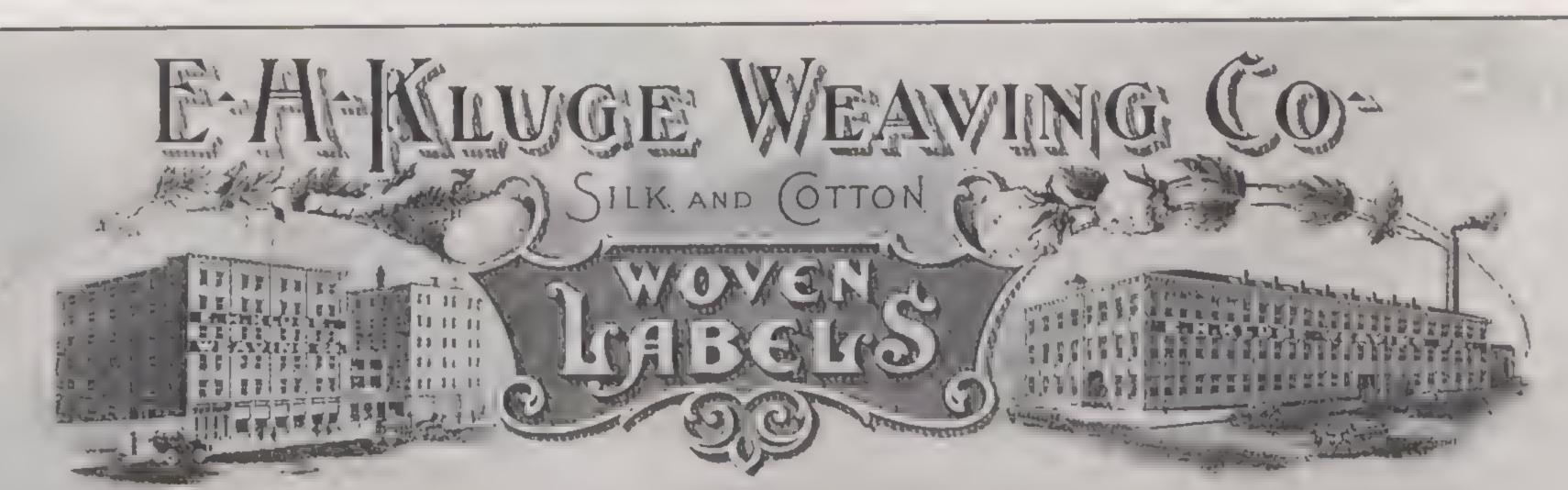
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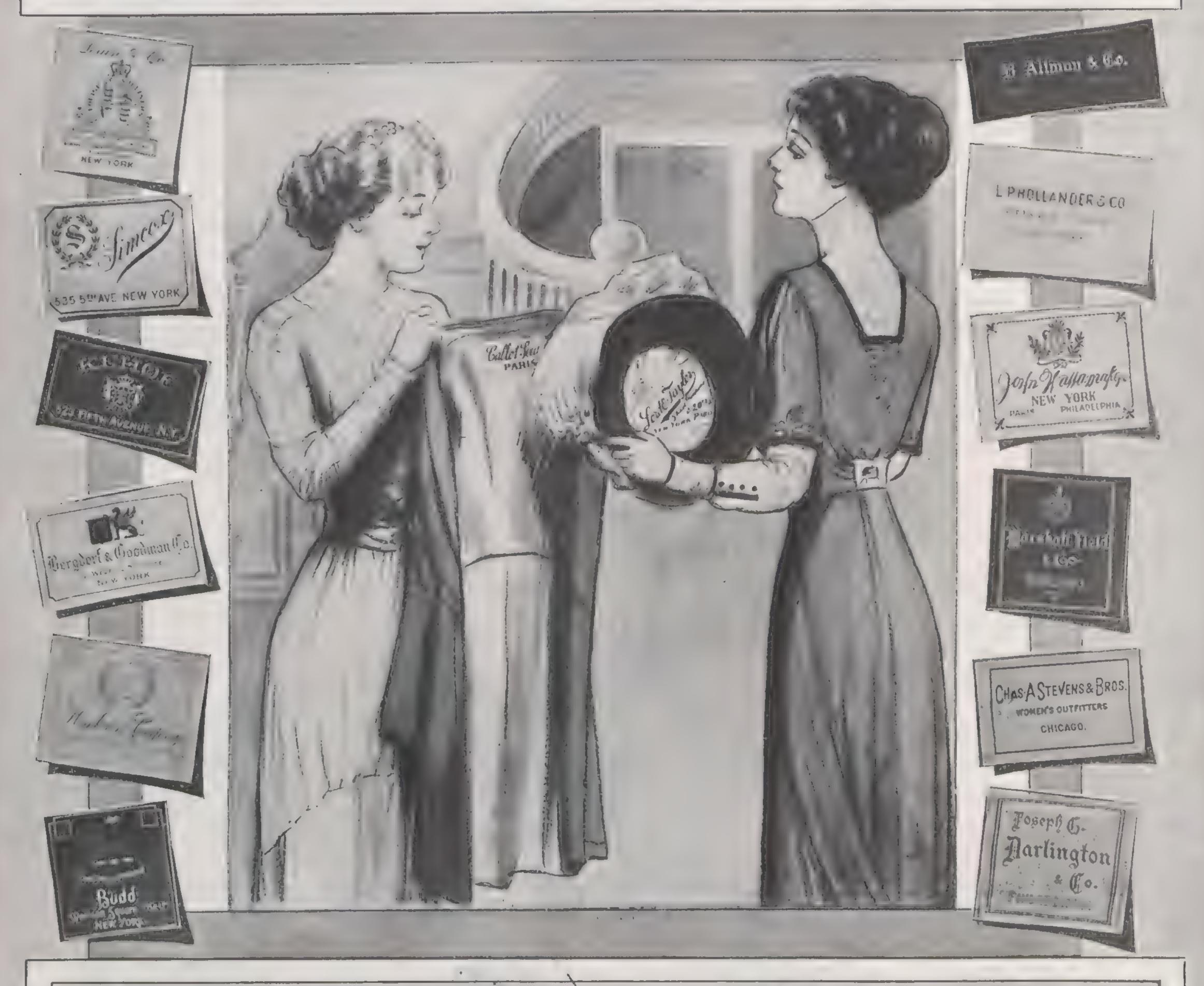


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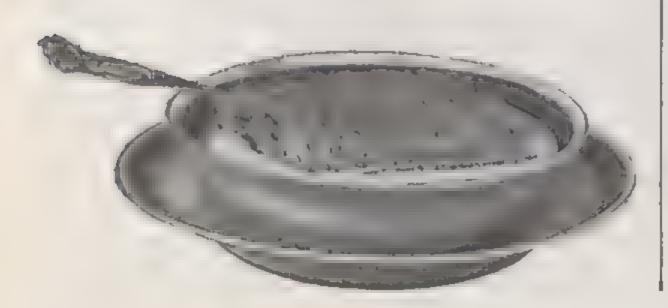
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CONCERNING ANIMALS

held in Boston during February, the special prize for the best dog in Massachusetts went to Mite, a Pomeranian, owned by Mrs. G. S. Thomas. Warren Remedy, the fox terrier belonging to Winthrop Rutherford, and already in the champion class, won the cup for the best of any herd-bred entry; Imna Surprise, of the Imna Kennels, won a prize in the collie class, and the old English sheep dogs, Sandy Point, Rags and Encliffe, belonging to Reginald C. Vanderbilt, took everything in their class.

AN EGG-LAYING CONTEST

An interesting contest is being provided by T. E. Quissenberry, secretary of the Missouri State Poultry Board, who purposes collecting a thousand hens from the United States and Europe, to take part in a laying competition, and for the use of the exhibition, as well as for more permanent hen interests, a poultry experiment station is to be built at Mexico, Mo., under the supervision of the United States Department of Agriculture. This contest, which is to last six months, will be held for the purpose of demonstrating the nearly limitless possibilities of a scientifically conducted poultry business, a similar exhibition object lesson having been conducted in Australia a few years ago.

THE EXTERMINATION OF SPARROWS

The bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture in Washington urging the people of the country to employ certain methods of exterminating the English sparrow, has brought out a protest from Mrs.

Huntington Smith, who, while granting that this bird does some harm, describes the ways suggested for killing it as sickening even to those who are not especially tender toward our humbler kin, some of them being to turn streams of water from garden hose on the nests on frosty nights; to destroy nests with long poles, thus causing the nestlings to fall "to the ground; and to coax the birds to a table and drop a weight on them. " Even though the concensus of opinion is that the English sparrow is not a de-

T the New England Kennel Show, sirable winged citizen, if it is to be abolished the method of bringing this about should not be cruel; and there is always the danger in attempting the extermination of this species that many other birds, especially the song sparrow, which closely resembles it, will likewise be killed. The general public knows little of ornithology, and a wholesale order to kill English sparrows will be very generously interpreted, particularly by that Italian element of our population which would not scruple to reduce all of this vast country to the birdless condition that prevails in the land of its

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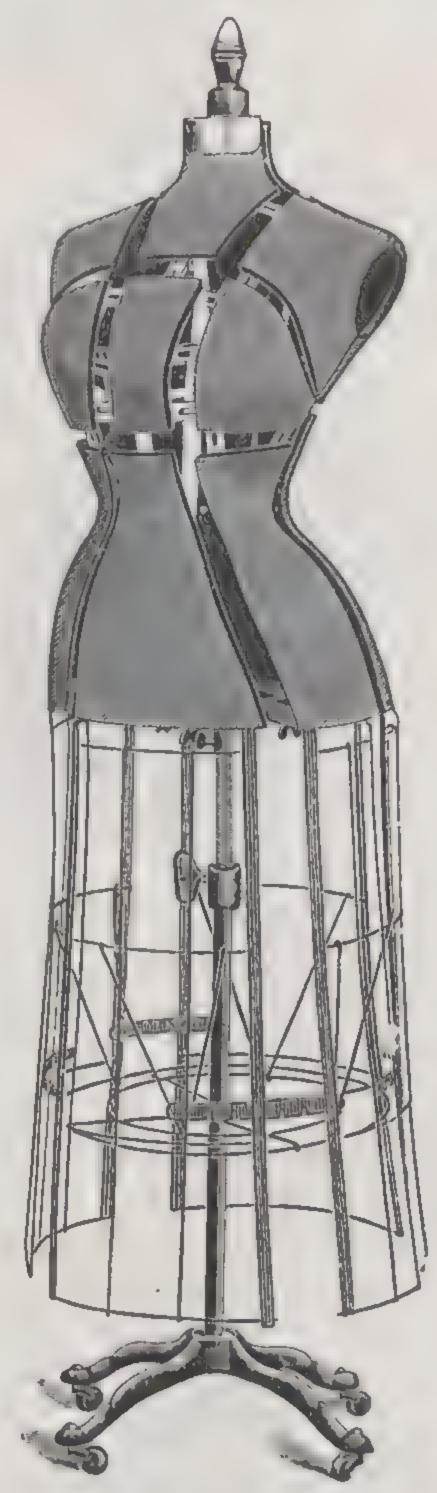
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membership has fallen from 1,500 to 800. An action that will still further diminish its patronage is the very unwise move it has taken in regard to vivisection, which it actually defends in its formal organ, subject, which for many reasons is best fied in the case of a typhoid epidemic that

left to the propagandist efforts of societies specially organized for that purpose, but there is every reason why a humane society should not formally ally itself with those who advocate the torture of animals for any purpose whatsoever, and its action is one it will find hard to live down. What is needed at the head of the A. S. P. C. A. is a man whose conception of his obligation of office is justice for animals, not the effect socially of pursuing this or that policy.

AIGRETTES BARRED IN CALIFORNIA

In California a law has been passed prohibiting the possession of aig-

those who wish to wear aigrettes, or traffic in them in California, may be advised of the fate in store for them. When the Audubon Society succeeds in having such aigrette prohibition laws enacted in all the States, which is a comparatively new possibility, the end of a cruel trade will be in sight.

STARVATION MARCHES

cattle being driven over the mountains for particulars of the act are duly put on recneighborhood of Antofagusta. The journey badge of honor. All told, seventeen dogs to Colama is an eight-day drive, during have thus been formally invested with the five days of which the beasts do not have title of hero, the first to secure the honor



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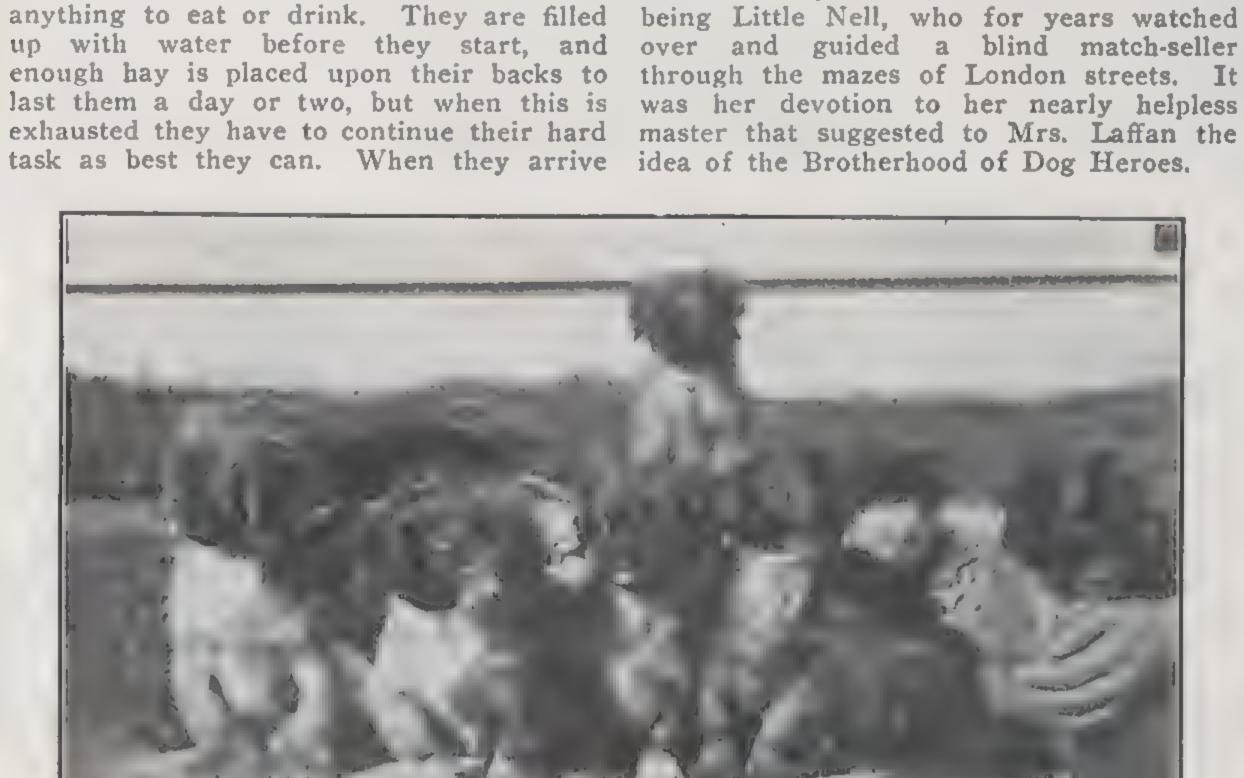
A BENEFIT FOR ANIMALS AND HUMANS

The contention so often presented in this department, that a general knowledge of hygiene and sanitation would save much human suffering from preventable causes, The Bulletin. There is no reason why any and take away much of the present excuse S. P. C. A. should declare itself on this of animal experimentation, was exempli-

> developed in one city block. So little informed are even college educated men in regard to ordinary sanitation, that a university professor whose daughter was ill, upon being asked if the drinking water was the cause, dismissed the idea by saying that it was not possible that infection could have entered in this way, because all the water used in the household had been filtered. As though infection could not come in liquid form. Even the local Board of Health, with a sanitarian at the head, failed to discover the cause of the epidemic-it being left to a layman,

rettes, and in February a fashionable mil- who remembered that a previous epidemic, liner, as well as the manager of a jewelry which afflicted an orphan asylum, was due firm, were proceeded against under it in to municipal plumbing becoming clogged at San Francisco by William Finley, secretary a curve or bend in the water pipes. It is of the National Association of Audubon for the interest of humane people, espe-Societies. These are the first arrests un- cially those who perform social service in der the new statute, and it is well that the behalf of children and animals, to insist widest publicity be given them, so that upon efficient health teaching in the schools.

A SOCIETY OF REAL NOBILITY A little book prepared by Mrs. de Courcy Lassan, giving the history of the Brotherhood of Hero Dogs, founded by her with the idea of bringing forcibly to the notice of the public the fact that dogs, as well as human beings are capable of performing deeds of heroism and self-sacrifice, is being sold for the benefit of the Animals' Hospital. Whenever a dog is reported to have An American recently returned from done a conspicuously heroic act he is made residence in Chile tells of large herds of a brother of the order; his name and the use by the fifty thousand men in the ord, and he is given a silver collar as a



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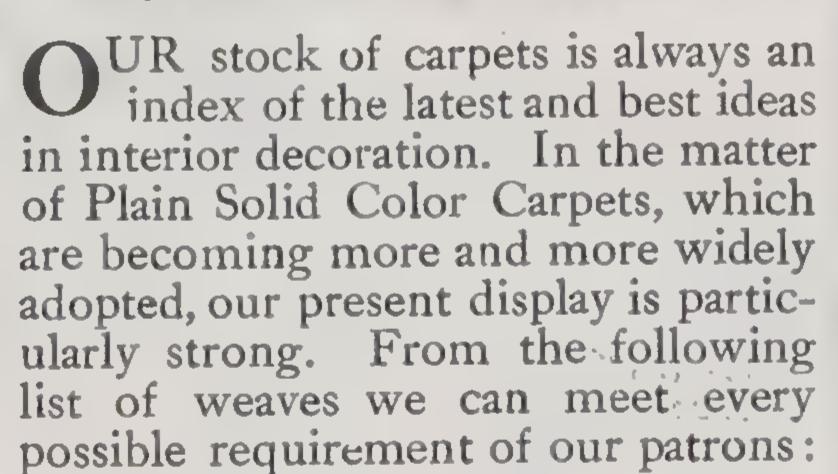
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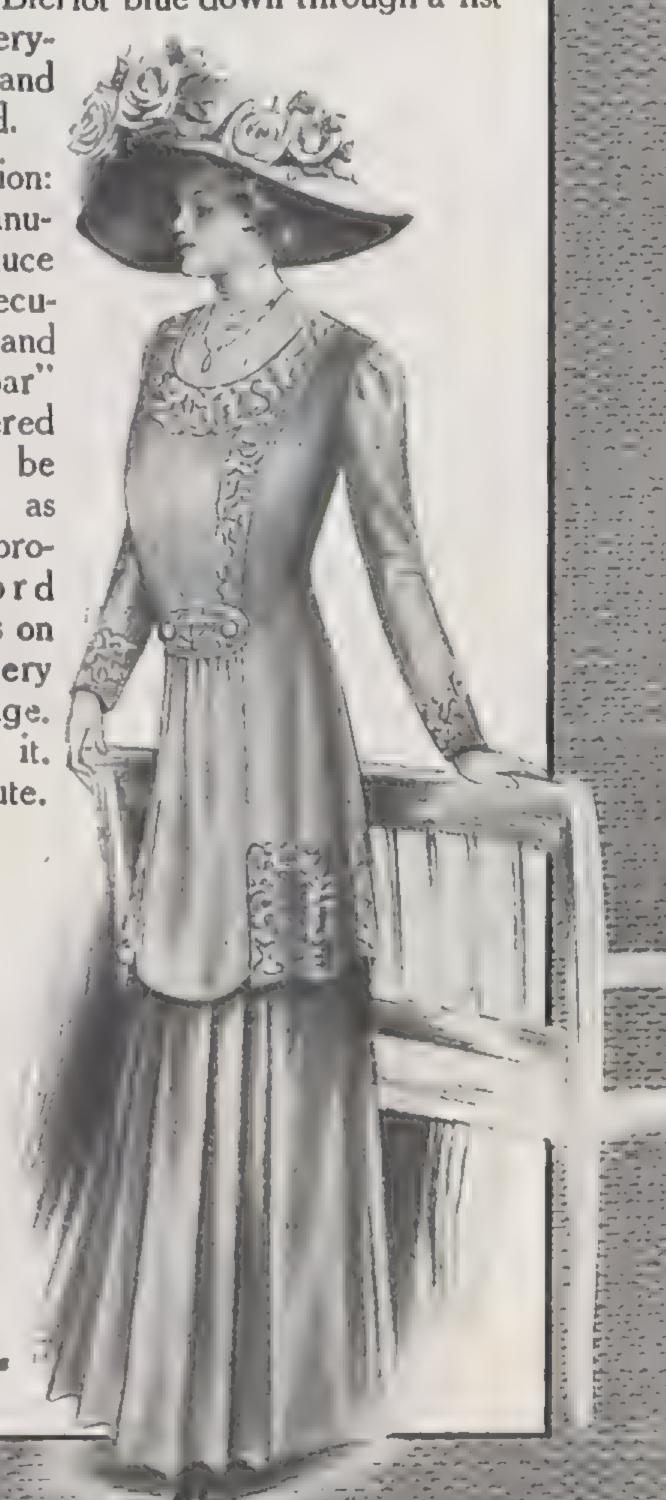
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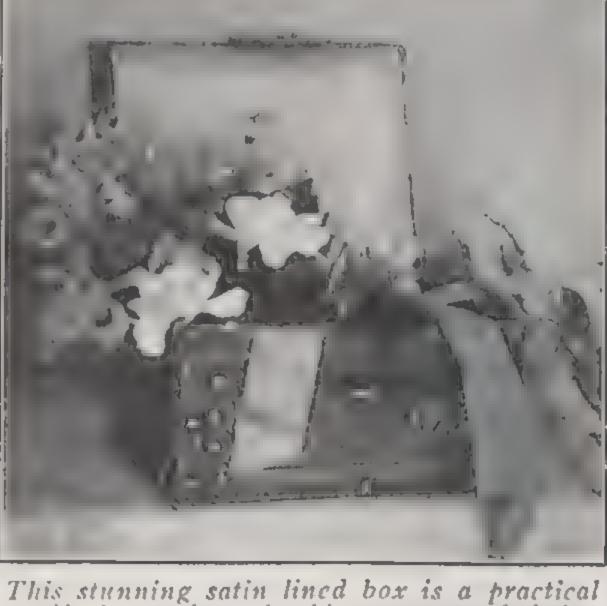
Unique and Costly are the Smart Conceits that Enclose the Fragrant Wares of the Fashionable Flower Shops

us, the sending of floral tributes is supplanting all others. Certainly there is nothing more delightful than the charm and beauty of rare blossoms, at this glad

HE custom of giving unique fa- satin and filled with a huge bouquet of vors on Easter morning is one of rare white orchids and gardinias, tied with ancient origin, and among the a handsome bow of pale green ribbon. most popular observances con- It is not only an artistic receptacle for nected with the day which still linger with flowers, but a desirable ornament for the toilet table, or bureau, and a practical holder for handkerchiefs or jewelry.

Among the most elaborate and showy favors, an ingenious conceit in the form of a miniature "Carriage of State," drawn by six snow-white lambs, driven by three beautiful wax dolls, stands out conspicuously. The carriage conveying a load of Jack Roses and Sweet Peas is trimmed with white satin and gold lace; silk ribbons are arranged as lines for the drivers, and the whole rests upon a foundation of green moss.

The offerings of eggs on Easter Sunday is signified by a variety of effectively designed receptacles, covered with satin, painted in delicate colors, and made large enough to hold a bunch of violets. Even conceptions in the form of air ships, especially constructed with receptacles for or-



gift long after the blossoms are faded

season, when all nature is budding forth with sweet fragrance at the close of winter, and the society belle who does not receive some such token has just claim for neglect of social obligation on the part of her friends.

Potted plants, from rich Crimson Ramblers to the purest white lilies, arrayed in effective jardinieres and attractive baskets of ornate workmanship, are elaborately displayed in the florist's shops, yet the demand for cut flowers is annually increasingespecially for the rarer varieties of orchids, California violets, gardinias and American Beauty roses. And when these delicate blossoms are sent in handsome and richly designed receptacles, intended not only as suitable and novel flower holders, but as objects of art which have intrinsic beauty, the gift is the more acceptable. Many of these costly objects are exquisitely painted and embroidered in delicate tints to harmonize with the blossoms they protect, and among them the Pretty Polly, shown by the accompanying illustration, represents one of the most attractive of these novelties. The upper portion of the receptacle is formed of real parrot plumage in its natural, gorgeous colors of bright red and green, while the lower half of the egg-shaped body is made of soft pink satin, the parts separating to form the unique holder for the flowers—in this case orchids and California violets-which are seen in the picture, surrounding it. Long after the flowers which accompany it have faded and been forgotten such an ornament will remain as a token of remembrance of the friend who sent it.

In striking contrast with the parrot novelty is the holder resembling an oldfashioned iron strong-box, with its heavy clasps and trimmings; lined with white



A satin covered mandolin is a dainty receptacle for the fragile orchid

chids and suspended by ribbons to harmonize, are among the numerous innovations now on exhibition, while the idea of combining musical instruments with flowers is effectively shown by the mandolin here pictured. It is covered with cream-white satin, has silk strings, and separates for the purpose of receiving its burden of orchids with their wing-like petals.



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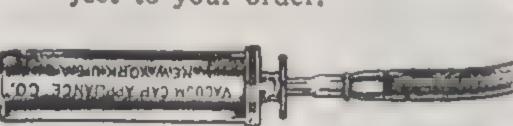
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THE CUISINE IN SPAIN

PANISH cookery is not generally considered to have arrived at such a stage of perfection as that of some other nations, although of late years travellers have found it much improved and consequently more agreeable to a cosmopolitan appetite. It is quite possible too that Spanish chefs have not always been given quite as much credit as they were entitled to, as more than one delightful dish the French have been credited with inventing, undoubtedly owes its origin to Spain.

For example, it was a Spanish cook who first discovered how much more delectable turkeys are when stuffed with chestnuts, and we have an exceedingly pleasing forcemeat to thank them for. To Spain also belongs the distinction of first accompanying wild duck with orange salad, and gourmets claim that this of itself is sufficient to proclaim them chefs of much intelligence.

Many of our (most redelectable food products arrive at perfection in Spain, the olives, chestnuts, oranges, peppers, and hams, being unexcelled. The pigs, in certain districts, are fed only upon acorns and chestnuts, and are said to make the most toothsome eating of those raised in any part of Europe. The lavish use of oil and garlic in Spanish cooking usually proves most objectionable to the foreigner, but there are, fortunately, plenty of hotels and restaurants where these are not used so lavishly. The oil is not refined like that so freely used in France and Italy, and it leaves a most disagreeable taste in one's mouth for hours after it has been taken, and as for the garlic, no need to dwell upon its defects. However, the too generous use of garlic is not characteristic of the tables of the upper classes in Spain. On the contrary the spicy seasoning imparted to many of their viands by having the foods lightly rubbed with garlic before they are cooked, or if to be served uncooked, having the dish in which they are to be placed similarly treated, is almost invariably pleasing. Tea is not indulged in to the same extent as it is with us, but chocolate is universally popular, and with orange juice, sugar and spices, they make an especially delicious sherbet.

eaten by rich and poor alike, although of course with a good deal of difference in its preparation and the manner of its serving. It is a mixture of numerous edibles, tomatoes, oil, vinegar, cucumbers, onions, breadcrumbs, all highly seasoned with salt and pepper; Gaspacho is always served iced or

very cold.

The favorite Spanish way for preparing spinach makes a rather unusual dish for foreign palates, yet after eating it a few times, one becomes actually fond of it. The spinach must be fresh and tender to begin with, and must then be carefully picked over and well washed in at least four fresh cold waters, then well drained, and cooked rapidly until tender in a small quantity of slightly salted boiling water. If young, it should cook thoroughly in fifteen minutes. When done, drain it well, chop it very fine, and drain again. For half a peck of spinach melt two tablespoonsful of butter in a saucepan, add the chopped spinach, and one-half cupful each of seeded raisins and chopped blanched almonds, season with salt and pepper to taste, and serve on a hot dish with bread croutons.

A delicious Spanish sauce to serve with asparagus is made in this way: Melt two tablespoonsful of butter in a saucepan and add to it one small, finely chopped onion, half a dozen pepper corns, and a bay leaf. Let it cook without browning until the onion is done, then gradually stir in three tablespoonsful of flour and two cupsful of white stock (milk may be substituted), add salt and pepper to season, and a pinch of remainder of the sauce around the omelet grated nutmeg, and stir and cook gently for and serve immediately. fifteen minutes. Mix one tablespoonful of

served in a bowl.

table try chestnuts a l'Espagnole. Put one eggs, allow either the tips cut from an orpound of Spanish chestnuts in a saucepan, dinary bunch of asparagus or one small can cover them with cold water and let them containing tips only. If the former, boil in boil for ten minutes. Then drain, peel, and skin them. Put them back in the saucepan with one quart of stock or broth, add half a tablespoonful of sugar and let them simmer until tender. Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a sauce pan, stir smoothly in one-half, tablespoonful of flour, and cook ing hot. and stir for two minutes, then add very gradually one cupful of stock or broth, a teaspoonful of beef extract, half a bay leaf, salt and pepper to season well, and let it sedative quality, it makes an admirable dish cook for five minutes. Strain the sauce with which to fortify oneself against nerinto another pan, drain the chestnuts, put vous strain. For the filling, cut the outer them in the sauce, and shake the dish over pieces of a stalk of celery into small bits the fire until it is very hot, then serve and stew slowly in real stock sufficient to

dish for luncheon. Make an egg omelet that has been cooked until smooth. Break by the preferred rule and just before it is and prepare the eggs as already directed, folded over spread it with a filling made and when the omelet is partially set, put a as follows: Mince finely one small onion, few spoonfuls of the stewed celery in the one green pepper (seeds removed) a few center. Fold the omelet and pour the refresh or canned mushrooms, and one slice mainder of the sauce around it. of raw ham, and fry them all together to a cooked remove from the fire, add three small tomatoes, peeled, cut in quarters, and the seeds removed, and cook about twenty minutes longer. Season to taste.

A hot Spanish sandwich is something decidedly novel to American palates. Cut bread a day old for the sandwiches, trim off the crusts, and place a slice of boiled ham between each two pieces. Press well together, dip quickly in sherry, and again in slightly beaten egg, then fry to a delicate brown, and serve at once.

Friday, it being really fried bread with a con. Pour one cupful of rich milk over : Gaspacho is the national dish which is few elaborations. Cut the bread in con- one cupful of cold, boiled rice, and beat venient-sized slices, dip them in sherry, with a fork until the rice is well broken then fry in oil, and spread them at once and smooth. Add a tablespoonful of melted with honey.

> Even the poorest peasants in Spain think something in the nature of a dessert is necessary, and one will rarely find them finishing a dinner without a sweet of some kind. This may perhaps be a few figs or raisins, or possibly only a piece of chocolate or sugar, but it is always something to supply the desired sweet.

In Seville the most delicious of preserved fruits, and sugar paste (Turron) in various forms, will prove a continual joy to the traveller with a proper appetite for sweets.

OMELETS FOR THE LENTEN TABLE

PANISH OMELET.—For an omelet of four eggs, allow one cup of canned tomatoes, one sweet pepper, one shallot, and one tablespoonful of butter. Remove the seeds from the pepper and cut into shreds. Peel and shred the shallot. Put all the ingredients into a saucepan and stew gently for twenty minutes, adding salt to taste. Break the eggs in a bowl and whisk lightly, adding four tablespoonfuls of water. Put a piece of butter the size of a walnut in an omelet pan and when melted add the eggs. Shake the pan gently until the eggs are set, and then sprinkle lightly with salt. Put two tablespoonfuls of the tomato mixture in the centre, fold over the edges and turn out on a heated platter. Pour the

OMELET WITH FINE HERBS.—For an ome-

lemon juice with the well beaten yolks of let of six eggs, allow one-half tablespoonful two eggs; strain the sauce, return it to the of chopped parsley, one-half tablespoonful saucepan and place it where it will keep of chopped terragon, and the same amount warm without simmering, then very grad- of chopped chives. Beat the eggs in a bowl ually add the eggs and lemon juice. Stir for four minutes, add one-quarter cupful of briskiy until thoroughly mixed, and add a sweet cream, and again beat. Melt onescant tablespoonful of butter. The aspar- half ounce of butter in an omelet pan and agus should be boiled in the usual way and when hot add the eggs. When they regin laid on small slices of hot golden brown to thicken, sprinkle lightly with sale and toast. The sauce may be poured over it or pepper, and spread the herbs over the surface. Fold and serve on a hot platter.

When you wish to serve a novel vege- OMELET WITH ASPARAGUS TIPS .-- For six salted water, if the latter, heat to the boiling point. In either case arain and season with butter, salt and pepper. Beat and prepare the eggs as directed for Spanish omelet, and when ready to roll spread the tips over the surface, fold and serve smok-

CELERY OMELET.—Omelet with celery filling is both toothsome and wholesome, and, as the celery is claimed to have a slight cover, until tender. Add just a little sweet Spanish omelet is a delightfully savory cream and thicken with butter and flour

Bread Omelet.—To make this really subnice brown in a little olive oil. When stantial omelet, soak one cupful of bread crumbs in one cupful of hot milk for a quarter of an hour. Then add half a cupful of grated cheese, three beaten eggs, and salt and pepper to taste. Divide the mixture in two parts and for each put a lump of butter half the size of an egg in the omelet pan, pour in half the mixture and cook after the usual method, but a little more slowly than when eggs alone are used. Turn out upon a hot platter and serve.

RICE: OMELET.—Rice omelet is not alone delicious, it also makes a hearty dish and is Torija is a dish chiefly eaten on Good therefore well adapted to the home lunchbutter with salt and pepper to taste, then whip in three well beaten eggs and cook as

directed for bread omelet.

BAKED OMELET .- Baked omelet differs sufficiently from the usual one to make an agreeable change, and it is quite simple and requires only a brisk oven for success. Separate the whites from the yolks of four eggs, beat the yolks until smooth, then add to them one tablespoonful of butter, one tablespoonful of flour, one cupful of milk and half a teaspoonful of salt. Beat the wnites of the eggs until stiff and add to the mixture with half a teaspoonful of baking. powder. Pour into a buttered dish, and bake in a quick oven until firm.

APPETIZER

NCHOVY CROUTONS .- Toast some little heart-shaped pieces of bread until they are a pale golden brown, then spread them with a paste made according to the directions given below, and on top of each arrange two strips of anchovy in the form of a cross and at the two opposite ends put a tiny heap of sieved yolk of egg, and at the other two ends a tiny heap of finely minced olive. For the mixture pound the sieved yolks of three hard boiled eggs in a mortar with an ounce of butter, a tablespoonful of grated Parmesan cheese and a teaspoonful of anchovy paste; season the mixture with a little salt and curry powder and heat it in a saucepan containing a small quantity of butter.



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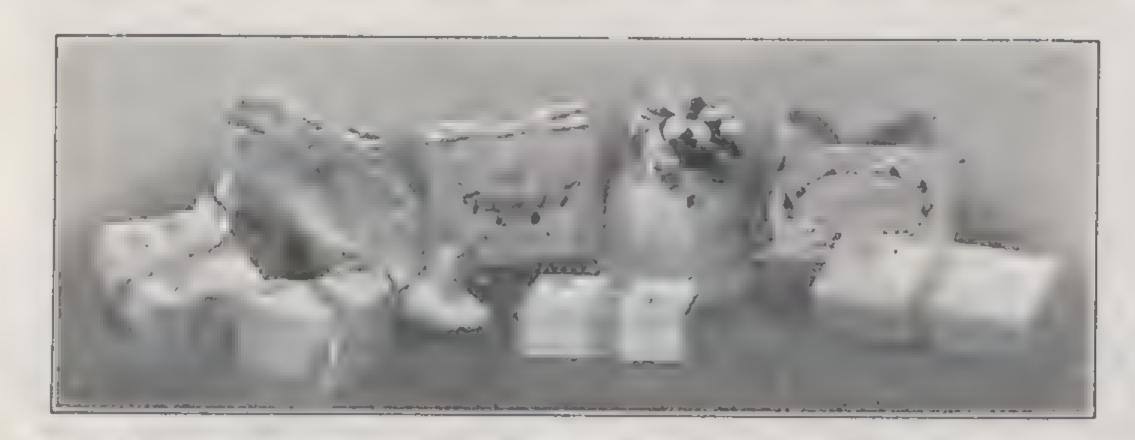
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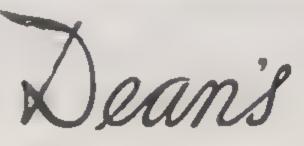


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IN THE WESTERN SHOPS

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cross, made of dull gold, with a fine line of white enamel on the outer edge. The diamond cut square is set in the center costs \$4.75. of the cross, where it rests on a broken

FRENCH STATIONERY

One of the shops is showing some new French stationery. The note-paper-a smooth linen—comes in very delicate shades of lavender, gray, green, blue, and putty, and has a quarter-inch band of the color in a deeper shade all round the page a quarter of an inch from the edge. It comes in small note size, and the envelope shows a new fad, it being the same size as the paper unfolded. It has a thin lining of the same shade. Price 75c a quire. Note cards, with a perforated edge having a tiny scroll pattern in a contrasting color, comes in lavender, gray, cream, and blue at 35c a quire. A block of letterettes, combining note-paper and envelope in one, costs 50c a block, the block containing fifty-five all creased ready for folding.

ATTRACTIVE WASH MATERIALS

Very fascinating are the wash materials, which range from the heaviest linen crash suitings to the filmiest mull and batiste. Coarse, firm linen, suitable for hard wear, can be bought for 75c a yard, and some of the new patterns show a diagonal weave at 85c, or have a coarse stripe or check at \$1. These come in colors at \$1.25, and all are 47 inches wide. In medium weight for tailored shirtwaists or one-piece dresses, there is Austrian madras, an excellent fabric. It comes in plain and mercerized effects (the mercerized having the soft gloss of damask) in a large variety of designs at 65c and up; a cheaper quality is 50c a yard. Cotton crépon is still popular, the new mottled pattern being preferred to the crinkle of last year. It is especially good as a background for embroidery. Price 85c per yard.

The new marquisettes are beautiful, particularly the all-over embroidery ones; they cost \$1.25 a yard, and are 40 inches wide. A very good material for tub frocks is cotton poplin; it comes in a light weight at 25c a yard, and is very satisfactory for tennis dresses, if not starched when laundered. For the plain tailored shirts for general outing wear, flannel in a light weight is an excellent fabric. One variety, which is warranted not to shrink, comes in a number of good designs, stripes predominating-tan with green, lavender with white, and pale green with whiteand costs 75c a yard. Another satisfactory material for this purpose is French wool taffeta at 75c.

IMPORTED TRIMMINGS

Among the new importations is a large scarf of chiffon cloth in Persian colorings. It is two yards square, and can be used as a scarf, as a waist material, or draped tunic fashion over a satin gown. Price \$6.50. Another beautiful material for the transparent tunic or for over-drapery is silk marquisette; which has tiny seed beads of the same color scattered all over it. It costs in all colors \$6.50 a yard.

For wash dresses there is a new trimming called rat-tail cord, in two weights and in all colors, which costs 35c a twelveyard bolt. Cotton soutache is still much used, and can be bought in any color from 25c a bolt up. (One shop carries as many as 400 shades.) A heavy bobbin lace, the kind made by the peasants of northern Russia, is a very effective trimming for heavy linen. In Byzantine design it shows large scallops, which measure six inches at the widest part; price \$3 a yard; an insertion to match, four inches wide, costs \$2.50 a yard. Heavy medallions in the form of flowers of Irish crochet come ready to be appliqued; a chrysanthemum measuring seven inches across costs \$1.75. and a huge sunflower, almost as large, padded in the center and having two leaves, costs \$2.

A kaftan set in Russian embroidery, consisting of a five-inch wide strip for the front of the coat, and narrower bands for collar and cuffs, costs \$4.50. The embroidery is done in pale shades of pink and blue on Tartar linen. Strips of the same emproidery, in which three colors, blue, red, and brown, are combined, are \$3.75 each. They are two and one-half yards with the rubber of ordinary size.

long and three inches wide.

A very dainty trimming for lingeric waists is the Porto Rican linen drawnthread embroidery. Although cob-webby in appearance, it is very strong and durable; design is open-work, and in the open spaces a narrow insertion (inch wide) costs \$1.75 are set groups of tiny diamonds. A large a yard, and one almost four inches wide

Large buttons, measuring two inches square of transparent green enamel out- across, are in great demand for coats. lined with small diamonds. At the top is Some are of oxidized metal ornamented a loop of the same stones, by which it is with cut steel points, and have a large attached to a chain. All the diamonds are blue stone resembling aqua marine in set in platinum. The cross measures two the center. This same model comes in and a half inches in length. Price \$230. brass with topaz. Price \$1.50 each. Another button, the same size, and in the same material, but in filigree work, has tiny green imitation emeralds scattered all over it. Price \$1.10.

DAINTY ACCESSORIES

For the maline neck bows which are much worn, there is a very dainty brooch of brilliants in a silver setting. The design is simple, four loops being caught in the center by two bands of the stones, slightly larger than the others. At the back is an arrangement by which the maline is held in place. It is very pretty and very well made. Price \$25.

Some of the new veils have a small hexagon mesh with a motif, woven into the fabric. These are very dainty and cost from 45c a yard up. Among the more expensive veils are those of Chantilly lace, having a light all over pattern. They come in all colors and cost \$4.50. A very good veil at \$3 is one which has a medium hexagonal mesh with a mystic pattern traced on it in black silk. These are very effective and have the advantage of being easily seen through; they come in black

and white only, For motoring, of course, there is always the chiffon veil, and these are most practical, as besides keeping the dust out of one's eyes and hair, they clean well. A very beautiful one comes in orange and gray. It is double chiffon and has a wide hem all around, and it is quite large, two and a half yards long by one yard wide. On one side it is shaded from dark gray to deep orange through the lighter shades of these colors, and on the other side it is shaded from deep orange to dark gray. It is most effective, the coloring suggesting sunset clouds; price \$8.50.

USEFUL TRAVEL ARTICLES

A very convenient pillow, and one which occupies little space in one's steamer trunk, is an air cushion especially made for the traveler. The pillow measures 18 x 12 inches, and is made of rubber covered with silk. It fits into a soft leather envelope, 8 x 4 inches, and comes in red, blue, green, mauve and in pigskin; \$7.50. A larger size with a pillow, 23 x 14 inches, costs \$8.75.

Another traveling convenience, and one which will appeal to motorists, and particularly to those who tour, is a small folding footstool in dark oak. It measures 11 x 4 inches, and stands five inches high. The legs are hinged and fold under, and the whole thing fits into a flat leather case; price \$6.50.

Very useful fittings for a dressing bag are made in white celluloid. This material has many advantages, as it is very light, is easily cleaned with soap and water, is very durable, and always looks well; and when the articles are ornamented with a large monogram they are very attractive indeed. A set, consisting of mirror, brush, comb, clothes brush, powder box, shoe horn, button hook, pin box (holding all kinds of pins), can be bought for \$11.30.

HINTS FROM LOCAL SHOPS

A firm in town makes a specialty of footwear to match gowns. Evening slippers in satin cost from \$4 up, and if one has special ideas in regard to embroidery, these will be gladly carried out. The manufacturers also make high boots of satin or

suede for \$7. Very delicious toilet water, which instead of the heavy flower scent one finds so often, suggests rather the spicy breezes of Araby, comes at \$1.50 a quart. It is made in this country, and is a revelation to the people who think that good toilet waters cannot be bought outside of Paris.

The most convenient thing seen in the shop in this season of uncertain weather is a cloth case designed to hold a pair of rubbers; these are doubled up to go into the case, it being small enough to be tucked into one's muff or shopping bag. It comes at two prices; one, 45c, having the narrow rubber which just covers the soles of one's shoes, and the other 600,



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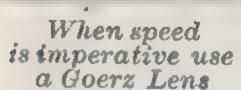
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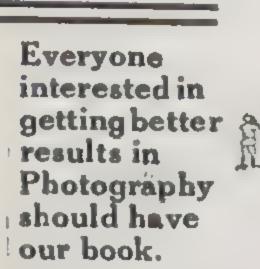
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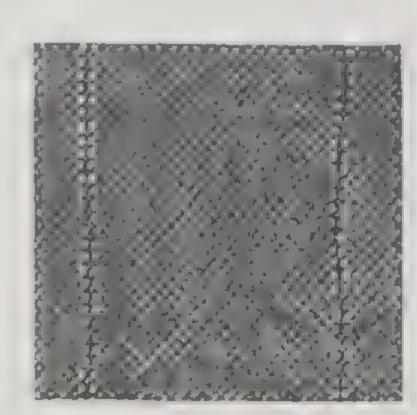
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WELL DRESSED MAN

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brown with mottled design in self-tone, and the ninth, at extreme right, a lace or veil-like mesh woven silk in shades of bronze and

dark green. One might go on to de-

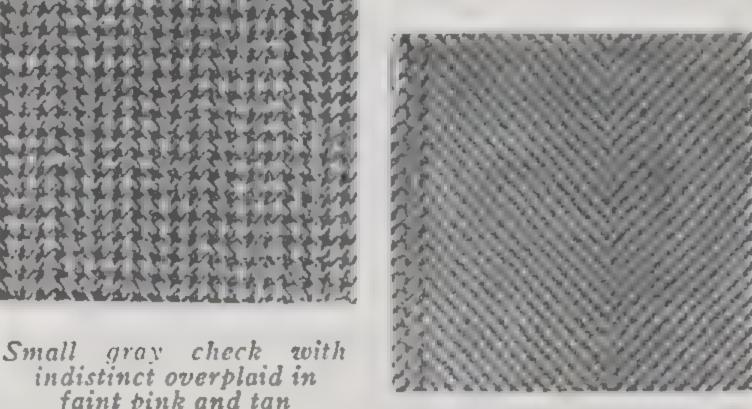


Medium gray worsted with lines of red outlined with white

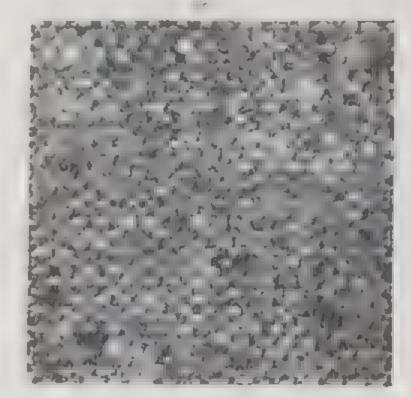
matching in general shade, are extremely good looking.

WORSTED WAISTCOATS

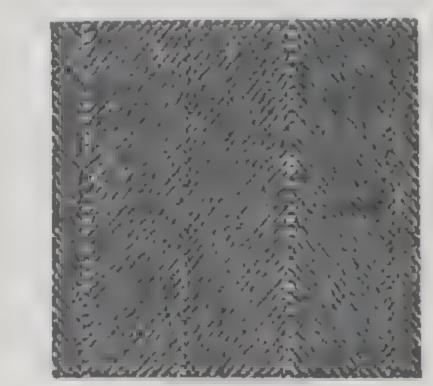
In the way of waistcoats there are a number of newer designs having backs and sleeves of a plain worsted and fronts of striped worsted, such,



Wide gray herring-bone with line stripes of lavender and brown



Cravenetted gray English homespun flecked with blue, brown and yellow



Dark gray worsted with alternating lines of red and white

scribe other fabrics without number-peculiar Oriental effects of weave and coloring; stripe, vine, flower, conventional figure, etc.—but when all is said the materials themselves should be seen to be appreciated.

KNITTED NORFOLK JACKETS

One of the very newest and most interesting things that I have recently seen in the worsted line is a Norfolk jacket of imported English wool with belt,

plaits, and collar. The model may be had of dark green, mixed brown and gray worsteds, and so far it is one that is thoroughly distinctive, very few garments having been brought over from England. The coat has a collar, lapels, side pockets, and outside breast pocket like the ordinary Norfolk jacket of cloth, and is not only extremely smart-looking, but excellent for fishing, shooting, and general outdoor wear in the country.

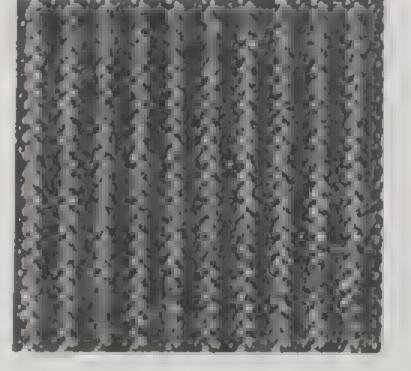
a costume the English hats of mixed cloth necessary as it used to be.

for instance, as dark brown with front in brown and gray, dark green with front in green and brown, etc. And in ordinary open front sweaters, there are some new effects in stitches that are more exclusive, if not intrinsically more attractive, than the older styles.

RUBBER COATS

For some time past mackintoshes or rain coats of rubberized fabrics have been much worn, and re-

cently light weight coats of thin rubber have appeared at some of the shops and found a ready sale. The latter will not wear as long as the coats of rubberized cloth, but they are quite as serviceable, if not indeed more so, in protecting one from the rain, and their cost is only about one-third as much. Indeed, while the umbrella is an article that can never be entirely dispensed with, there are now so many fabrics that have been made prac-Stockings of wools to match may be tically rainproof, if not absolutely imhad at most of the better class haberdashery pervious to water, by the cravenette and and sporting goods shops, and with such other processes, that it is by no means so



indistinct overplaid in

faint pink and tan

Striped black and white worsted with inch-spaced thread of blue

THE AMERICAN TAILOR-MADE WOMAN WITHOUT A PEER

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Russian net of medium-sized mesh, are with a narrow stripe of color, which are permissible. Conspicuous veils, if worn at very smart when worn with a coat and all, can only be used with large hats for skirt. The most useful blouse of all, howmore formal wear. The gloves for morn- ever, and one particularly suited to young ing should be of dogskin, reddish-brown girls, is that of heavy, white wash-silk, in color, or a dark yellow or white buck- laid in narrow plaits back and front. The skin. The English gloves, stitched by cuffs are turned back-like those on a man's hand, are the smartest.

tan shoes accentuate the size of the foot. must be made to order, as it cannot be There is, however, a certain shade of red- bought ready-made in the shops. brown, or mahogany-colored leather, a A necessary accompaniment to the cosspecialty of one bootmaker, which is ex- tume of the tailor-made girl is a modish tremely smart when worn with a tailored umbrella. There are numberless styles, but suit, and which, because of its rarity, is only a few that are really suitable. The on that account more distinguished than best design has a coaching handle of Mathe ordinary tan.

pushed into the background during the upon the top in plain, block letters. past two seasons, nothing as fresh, or so completely satisfactory, has been offered in or evening gown does, a woman look more the coat and skirt, and will always be so. a thoroughly smart becoming tailor suit. But there are blouses and blouses, and the Very useful to wear with this is an undaintiness of the blouse of fine linen, worn derskirt with a protected flounce, which prowith a delicate lace-edged frill and a beau- vides for hardest wear. The body of the tifully high-boned collar, adds the neces- skirt is of chiffon taffeta, and the upper sary touch of femininity to the tailored flounce is accordion plaited; under this is a suit. There are also seen in the shops on dust ruffle of mercerized cotton, which so the avenue, lovely blouses of white silk saves the skirt that it outlasts all others.

soft shirt, and worn with plain sleeve-links Few women appreciate the fact that light of gold. This blouse is also tailored, and

lacca, with a silver or gold top about an Although the lingerie blouse has been inch in depth. The initials are engraved

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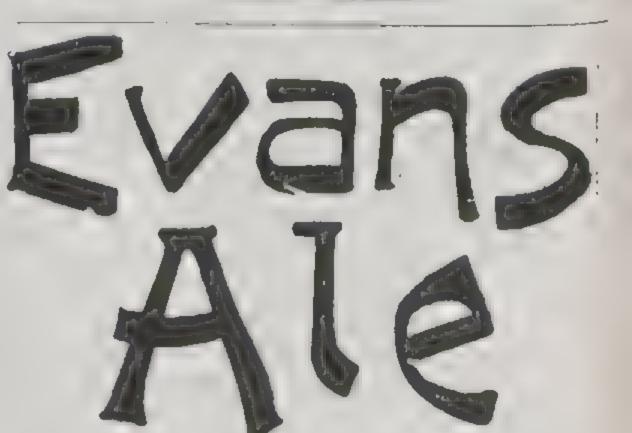
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ON HER DRESSING TABLE

around the throat after the first blush of little choral hydrate is also added and there youth is past. Later, this is apt to develop is fifty per cent of pure alcohol, besides an into a dried and wrinkled condition unless unnamed ingredient which is the basis of taken in hand with skill and persistence; the whole preparation. It is cooling and today, however, suggestions of permanent refreshing, will stop itching of the scalp, cure will not be considered, but rather the climinate and destroy dandruff and arrest best means to cover up the defect, until the hair from falling, being both nutrient more drastic measures effect a complete and detergent. These are the important remedy. One of the best preparations for results to be expected; but none the less this purpose, as well as for the whitening desirable is the affect it has upon the apof the neck and arms, is said to be a pure pearance of the hair, which becomes soft, and fine powder put up in the form of an oval block which is very easy to apply. The price is 35 cents, and the quantity offered for this small sum should last for a great length of time, since the cake is of considerable size. It spreads smoothly over the skin, thus giving an admirable finish and has more than ordinary adherence, purposes I have named, while the covering rests so lightly on the surface that no suggestion of artificiality is given. The powder is manufactured by a well known

carrying face powder in the purse or bag. bath, it will be found to absorb moisture, bit of absorbent cotton spread with a thoroughly good and reliable face powder. This is an innovation worth notice, since a dozen or more of these little packets take up scarcely any room and offer a hygienic as well as a convenient means of applying powder. They only cost three cents each and are prepared with the utmost daintiness of detail,

French firm and warranted by them to be

free from deleterious properties.

At the same shop I noticed a perfume for which I have often enquired vainly in America, since discovering its charm while on a recent visit to Paris. This is by no means a simple scent, being rather heavy in character, yet with a refinement seldom found in perfumes of like nature. Oriental in suggestion, yet distinctly French in the wonderful blending of various rare blooms, this stands out from the generality of extracts as distinctly superior. There is also a powder, and one so strongly redolent of perfume that many French women use it in combination with plain rice powder, finding it quite insistent enough even if used in equal parts. It is almost like a sachet in character and very compelling with its beguilingly sweet, rich fragrance—a perfume for women who like something unusual and one almost invariably liked by men.

The large cracker jars, sold by a well known firm, would be exactly the thing for bath powders after the first contents had been exhausted. They are of tin but very decorative, with a painted design of waterlilies on a sea-green background, and the little legs on which they stand are of dull gold. There is a cover of wide circumference and the whole would make an ornamental jar for the bath room if filled with some good powder. The price originally, when holding many varieties of crackers is 90 cents, so the necessary expenditure is small.

This is the season of the year when a good tonic for the hair should be used, even when the latter is apparently in perfect condition, for the hair falls in the spring and should be carefully tended to keep it absolutely healthy and strong of growth. Where there is no weakness of importance in the general system, it should not be difficult to encourage and retain a beautifully lustrous and thick growth of hair, since in ordinary conditions it responds quickly to care and is easily enough brought back to vigor, if temporarily suffering from climatic effects or some minor derangement of the circulation. Hair growth is immediately affected by anemia, and this is often the cause of lifeless, dull-looking locks, as anything which interferes with the blood supply is at once followed by deterioration of the hair, both in quality and quantity. Very dry climates also exert a bad influence, decreasing the natural oil which supplies food for the roots. In either of these cases an ointment should be applied at intervals and a tonic regularly rubbed in before retiring; but, under ordinary circumstances, the latter will be quite sufficient if a reliable preparation be chosen and one combining the necessary qualities of nutrition and stimulation. I can praise a tonic recently brought to my attention and which appears to fill all the conditions I have named with admirable efficiency. It is invigorating to

NPLEASANTLY conspicuous, when both hair and scalp, promotes capillary wearing a decolleté gown, is the activity and stimulates the nerve terminals. brownish mark sometimes seen A fine cognac enters into its composition, a bright and fluffy after a few nights use. The tonic should be used before retiring, and, while applying it, the scalp may be gently massaged with the finger tips so as to give the circulation every possible aid. Price, \$1 a bottle.

Often as we have had cause to mention talcum powder among the desirable acceswhich makes it especially good for all the sories of the dressing table, something always remains to be said in its praise; and some new preparation of an excellence not to be ignored is constantly making an appearance. None of these stand higher in favor than a deliciously fragrant talcum, which has risen into favor within a short An entire novelty is being introduced for time. Used as a dusting powder after the Little squares of thin rice paper enclose a prevent chafing and allay irritation; being therefore an ideal preparation for children or even babies, as well as adults. Its spreading quality is particularly important, since a smooth pleasing surface is easily produced without showing a too white or chalky color. Made of pure materials and extremely fine, this talcum contains no ingredient which will dissolve when coming in contact with moisture, such as perspiration; this is an important fact in its favor, since in the case suggested the skin is irritated and the very purposes for which the powder is prepared, thus defeated. The perfume is both delicate and lasting-a difficult combination; and the package pleases by its attractive covering and liberal size. It answers the purpose of a general toilet powder; is light, fluffy and invisible, if properly applied, and can be put to a multitude

of uses in any home.

Much interest has been aroused by the arrival of a beauty water from one of the most famous French laboratories. Knowledge, vast experience and lengthy experiments have resulted in the perfection of this lotion, which is most invigorating. Said to be void of all alcohol, acids and astringents, it braces up the skin tissues and lends the illusion of youth to even the most faded complexion; it is a remedy for freckles, pimples and blotches on the skin, and eradicates lines as well as wrinkles. So pure in substance that it can be taken internally without injury, this lotion effects the remarkable combination of being good for the eyes as well as for the skin. Those who motor (and all the world motors nowa-days) will find it inexpressibly soothing when the eyes are tired after a long day's whirl over dusty roads. It refreshes the eye-balls, drives away the tiny red veins which so often mar their beauty, renders the eye clear and lends it a brilliancy and vivacity. In a word, it rejuvenates and beautifies even the most strained looking eyes. For the complexion, the face is bathed by means of a wad of medicated cotton, such as can be bought by the large roll for 35 cents; and for the eyes, bathe them open, with an eye basin, into which a little of the lotion has been poured. The word of caution which accompanies this useful preparation is, that it must be kept in a dark place with the bottle well corked. It comes in pints and quarts, the latter being the more economical in the long run.

As delicate as its name, which is that of the most dainty of all roses, is a soap said to be pure, and very cleansing; it is delightfully perfumed. A full sized cake will be forwarded if 15 cents are sent in stamps to the address that will be furnished, and even a short trial ought to give convincing proof of its desirability for the bath as well as for general washing purposes. It contains a large amount of glycerine and is one of the daintiest toilet soaps made in this country. It is particularly worthy of notice for the combined qualities of its cheapness, the purity of its ingredients and its pleasing perfume.

[Note.—Readers of Vogue inquiring for names of shops where dressing-table articles are purchasable should enclose a stamped and addressed envelope for reply and state page and date.]

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Beekman.—On Saturday, March 5, 1910, Gertruydt Van Cortlandt, daughter of Katharine M. Beekman and the late William Bedlow Beekman, in the 20th year of her age.

Elliott.—On Thursday, March 3, 1910, after a brief illness, John George, of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., husband of Aline Dickerson, son of Martha Louise and the late James Elliott.

Pruyn .- On Wednesday, March 2, 1910, Emma Merchant, widow of Lansing Pruyn, late of Albany, N. Y.

ENGAGED

Biddle-Johnson.-Miss Dorothy Biddle, sister of Mr. Nicholas Biddle, to Mr. Walter Adams Johnson.

Bigelow-Sargent .- Miss Marion Bigelow, daughter of Mr. Edwin Wilder Bigelow. of Brooklyn, to Mr. S. Worcester Sargent, of Philadelphia.

Borland-Pell .- Miss Madeline Borland, daughter of Mr. J. Nelson Borland, to Mr. Clarence C. Pell.

Brice-Heaton .-- Miss Anna Brice, daughter of Mrs. Ephraim Brice, to Mr. Augustus Heaton.

daughter of Mrs. Benjamin Shreve Calef Mrs. Frederick Edey, Mrs. Albert Z. Gray, of Boston, to Mr. Francis Boardman of Mrs. J. Horace Harding, Mrs. Everett New York.

Cuyler-Morris.—Miss Helen Scott Cuyler, daughter of Mrs. T. DeWitt Cuyler of Philadelphia, to Mr. Casper Wister Morris.

McFadden-Sands.-Miss Katharine Hynson McFadden, daughter of Mr. J. Franklin McFadden of Philadelphia, to Mr. Harold A. Sands of New York.

Palmer-Chatillon.-Miss Dorothy Palmer, daughter of Mr. Franklin Wheeler Palmer, to Mr. Alfred J. Chatillon.

WEDDINGS

Haines-Dunham.—March 9.—Mr. George William Haines and Miss Isabelle M. Dunham, daughter of the late Thomas C. Dunham, were married on Wednesday, March 9, at the residence of the bride. Maid of honor: Mrs. Charles James Coulter. Best man; Mr. Philip H. Adec.

WEDDINGS TO COME

Carpender - Schuyler. - April 20. - Miss Jeanne Floyd-Jones Carpender, daughter of Mr. William Carpender, to Mr. Philip Van Rensselaer Schuyler, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest.

Daly-Sigray.—March 29.—Miss Harriot Daly, daughter of Mrs. Marcus Daly, to Count Anton Sigray; at the home of the bride.

Davenport - Aldrich. - March 28. - Miss Dorothea Davenport, daughter of Mr. George H. Davenport, to Mr. William T. Aldrich: Trinity Church, Boston.

De La Vergne-Stevenson.--April 27.-Miss Katharine De La Vergue, daughter of Mrs. John De La Vergne, to Mr. Archibald Ewing Stevenson; St. Thomas's Church.

Emmet-Haddon.-March 30.-Miss Laura Emmet, daughter of Mr. Henry Coster Emmet, to Mr. Harold F. Haddon, Jr.

Gould-Drexel .-- April 19 .- Miss Marjorie Gould, daughter of Mr. George J. Gould, to Anthony J. Drexel, Jr.

Ingersoll - Minton. — April 28. — Miss Anita Ingersoll, daughter of Mrs. Robert Taylor Varnum, to Mr. Roger Minton, at the residence of Mrs. George Stanton Floyd-Jones.

Pauline Webster, daughter of Mr. J. Frederic Webster, to Mr. Stephen Whitney; Emmanuel Church, Boston.

CHARITY ENTERTAINMENTS

Benefit.—March 10.—A concert for the benefit of the historical work of the Huguenot Society of America was given on Thursday afternoon, March 10, at the Waldorf Astoria, Mme. Tetrazzini and M. Gilibert sang, accompanied by Mr. Victor Herbert and his orchestra. Patronesses: Mrs. John Scott, Mrs. Paul D. Cravath, Mrs. George G. McMurtry, Mrs. E. Le Grand Beers, Mrs. William Curry Demorest, Miss Elizabeth Aymar, Miss Isabel G. Bowdoin, Mrs. Robert F. Ballantine, Mrs.

Dwight Harris, Mrs. Henry Kirke Porter, Mrs. Charles F. Roe, Mrs. Edward Ridley Finch, Miss Anne S. Van Cortlandt, Mrs. James S. Van Cortlandt, Mrs. William J. de Peyster, Mrs. John E. Williams, Miss Helen M. Gould, Mr. John Blanchard Dominick, Mr. Nathan Mayer, Mrs. Fredcrick Guidekoper and Mr. William Ely.

Benefit.-March 15.-A special performarce of Aida for the benefit of the Legal Aid Society will be given in the Metropolitan Opera House on Tuesday evening, March 15. Among those who have taken seats and boxes are: Mrs. Francis Schroeder, Mrs. Arthur Curtiss James, Mrs. Seth Low, Mrs. Paul Morton, Mrs. William Church Osborn, Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard, Mrs. John E. Parsons, Mrs. Russell Sage, Mrs. Henry Phipps, Mrs. Orme Wilson, Mrs. James M. Grosvenor, Mrs. Henry Waters Taft, Mrs. A. D. Juilliard, Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, Mrs. Carnegie, Mrs. A. von Briesen, Mrs. H. Fairfield Osborn, Miss Leary, Mrs. Francis Lynde Stetson, Mrs. C. H. Coffin, Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, Mrs. Isaac Newton Seligman, Mrs. Edward S. Harkness, Mrs. Elbert H. Gary, Mrs. Edmund Coffin, Mrs. Paul M. Warburg and Mrs. Adrian H. Joline.

Calico Ball.-March 3.-A calico dance for the benefit of the Lying-in Hospital was given at Sherry's on Thursday, March Calef - Boardman. - Miss Anita Calef, 3. Patronesses: Mrs. Louis Lee Stanton, Colby, Mrs. George G. McMurtry, Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, Mrs. John T. Atterbury, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Mrs. Edward T. Harkness, Mrs. H. Fairfield Osborn, Mrs. Walter Maynard, Mrs. Arthur S. Burden, Mrs. Frederick M. Davies, Mrs. W. Earl Dodge, Mrs. Austen Gray, Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Mrs. John H. McCullough, Mrs. Norman De R. Whitehouse, Mrs. William Woodward, Mrs. J. Earle Stevens and Mrs. Robert D. Pruyn.

Manhattan Trade School.-March 7.-A lecture by Miss Agnes Repplier in aid of the Manhattan Trade School for girls was given on Monday afternoon, March 7, at the Hudson Theatre.

Benefit Horse Show.-April 27.--A horse show for the benefit of Mrs. Emily Brash, the well-known riding teacher, will he held at Durland's Riding Academy on Wednesday, April 27. President of the organization, Mrs. Thomas Hastings; Secretary, Miss Ethel Boyd Bowers; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Beavor-Webb. Patronesses: Mrs. Egerton Winthrop, Jr., Mrs. Richard Gambrill, Mrs. James G. Marshall, Miss Hopeton D. Atterbury, Mrs. Gifford Cechran, Mrs. Harry T. Peters, Mrs. Rufus L. Patterson, Mrs. Cornelius B. Mitchell, Mrs. Theodore H. Banks, Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, Mrs. Daniel Webster Evans, Mrs. Henry Babcock, Mrs. Frank Burton, Mrs. V. R. Kennedy, Mrs. Walter W. Stokes, Mrs. Percy Pyne, Mrs. William Jay, Mrs. M. S. Burrill, Mrs. Richard Irwin, Miss Margaret S. Whitney, Mrs. Adolf Ladenburg, Mrs. Richard Trimble, Mrs. Oakleigh Thorne, Mrs. Charles Tracy, Mrs. Richard Mortimer, Mrs. Joseph Larocque, Miss Angelica L. Gerry, Mrs. J. Livingston Beeckman, Mrs. Archibald Alexander, Mrs. Ralph Singer, Mrs. George R. Sheldon, Mrs. W. P. Howe, Mrs. Bradley Cummings, Mrs. H. B. Hollins, Mrs. Edward Berwind, Mrs. J. Beavor-Webb, and Mrs. Thomas Hastings.

New York Association for the Blind .--March 28 .- A grand fête for the benefit of the New York Association for the Blind will be held on Monday, March 28, at the Hotel Astor.

Benefit Working Girls' Summer Home. -March 18.-A special matinee perform-Webster - Whitney. - March 29. - Miss ance of "Alias Jimmy Valentine" will be given with an all-child cast on Friday, March 18, at Wallack's Theatre. Patronesses: Mrs. M. Lawrence Keene, Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard, Mrs. John W. Minturn, Mrs. Paul Morton, Mrs. Henry W. Munroe, Mrs. John E. Parsons, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, Mrs. John T. Pratt, Mrs. J. Dyneley Prince, Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer, Mrs. S. Breck, Mrs. P. Trowbridge, Mrs. Charles H. W. Tweed, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. Orme Wilson, Mrs. Frank S. Witherbee, Mrs. Andrew. C. Zabriskie, Miss Marion Kemp, Miss Louise Sands, Mrs. Edward D. Adams, Mrs. Charles H. Berryman, Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, Mrs. George Blumenthal, Mrs.

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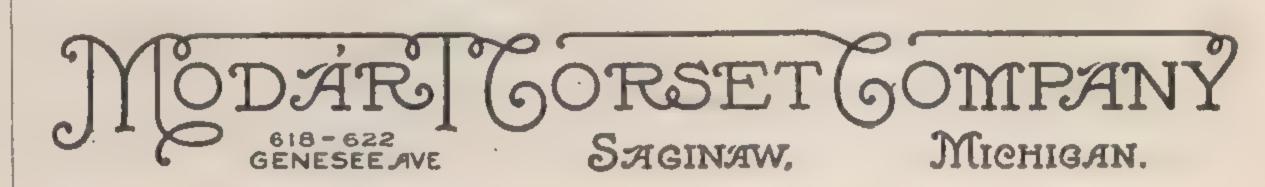
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MI CARÉME DANCE

Astor.—March 3.—A dinner dance was given on Thursday, March 3, by Colonel John Jacob Astor at 840 Fifth Avenue. The cotillon was led by Mr. Phœnix Ingraham and Mr. Harry Lehr. Present were: Lady Paget, Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Francis K. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. Keith Menzies, Mrs. O. II. P. Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bourke Cockran, Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Mr. Egerton L. Winthrop, Justice James W. Gerard. Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. Bryce, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Lehr, Mr. Lispenard Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. W. Starr Miller, General Horace Porter, Mrs. Adolf Ladenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund L. Bayliss, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Biddle. Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Chanler, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney S. Breese, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Garret B. Kip. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. J. Low Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Haggin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Langdon Erving, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Frelinghuysen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard, Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. W. Forbes Morgan, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Norton Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Detmold Lentilhon, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. have returned from the South. Oakley Rhinelander, Mr. and Mrs. M. Orme Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. are in New York for ten days. Dickes, Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Wagstaff, Mr. and Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Soley, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Deering, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Y. Dalziel, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Livingston Clarkson. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Misses Helen and Civilise Alexandre, Miss Evelyn Marshall, Miss Elizabeth Latimer, Miss Elise Ladew, Miss Marjorie Gould, Miss Ethel De Koven, Miss Mary Clarkson, Miss Laura Chanler, Miss Mary Bishop, Misses Harriet and Janetta Alexander, Miss Ethel Merritt, Miss Constance Warren, Miss Lisa Suydam, Miss Anna Sands, Misses Katherine and Margaret Steward, Miss Edith Starr Miller, Mr. Stephen Van Rensselaer, Mr. Robert B. Van Cortlandt, Mr. John R. Suydam, Jr., Mr. Arthur R. Buckley, Mr. Charles and Robert Sands, Mr. Campbell Steward, Mr. William Hude Neilson, Mr. Harry Oelrichs, Mr. Franklin A. Plummer, Mr. William Post, Mr. Moneure Robinson, Mr. Maurice Roche, Mr. H. Pendleton Rogers, Jr., Mr. L. Lanier Winslow, Mr. Thornton Wilson, Mr. W. Lanier Washington, Mr. Worthington Whitehouse, Mr. W. Storrs Wells, Major G. Creighton Webb, Mr. George Henry Warren, Jr., Mr. Ogden Mills Bishop, Mr. Edward A. Crowninshield, Mr. J. Leelie Cotton, Mr. Thomas B. Clarke, Jr., Mr. I. Lawrence Breese, Mr. I. Townsend Burden, Jr., Mr. W. Harold Brown, Mr. Anthony Drexel, Jr., Mr. Charles Stuart Dodge, Mr. Julien T. Davies, Mr. Marcus Daly, Mr. John Jay Chapman, Mr. J. De Wolf Cutting, Mr. Frederic Cruger, Mr. Monson Morris, Mr. Harvey S. Ladew. Mr. Henry S. Kip, Mr. Bradish G. Johnson, Mr. Meredith Howland, Jr., Mr. Duncan Gilbert Harris, Mr. Dennie M. Hare, Mr. Eliot Gregory, Mr. Kelloch Meyers and Mr. Matthew A. Wilks.

Chapin.—March 3.—A dance was given on Thursday, March 3, by Mrs. Lindley Hoffman Chapin, at No. 36 West Fortyninth street, for Miss Katharine G. Chapin and for Mr. Paul Chapin. Present were: Miss Jeanne King, Miss Zelina Clark, Miss Katherine Greene, Miss Rosette Ford, Miss Love Godwin, Miss Constance Perkins, Miss Eleanor Alexander, Miss Maude Shepherd, Miss Grace Henry, Miss Julia Loomis, Miss Clara Fargo, Miss Ruth Appleton, Miss Isabel Hoyt, Miss Ursula Brown, Miss Lelia Haven, Miss Elizabeth Hoyt, Miss Wilfreda Mortimer, Miss Virginia Alexandre and Miss Anita Ingersoll, Mr. John Rutherford, Mr. Roger Minton, Mr. Don Kelley, Mr. Horton Ijams, Mr.

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DINNERS

Mackay.—March 3.—A dinner, followed by music, was given on Thursday, March 3, by Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, at No. 244 Madison Avenue. Present were: Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. George von L. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Philip M. Lydig, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald De Koven, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Train, Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselaer, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Miss Anne Morgan, Miss Ida Tarbell, Magistrate Peter T. Barlow, Mr. James W. Barney, Mr. David Gray, Mr. Lloyd Warren, Mr. Stephen B. Elkins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould, Dr. and Mrs. John H. Finley, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lovett.

HUNTING

Hempstead, L. I.-March 5.-The first hunt of the spring season of the Meadowbrook Hunt Club was held on Saturday, March 5. In at the finish were the following: Mr. W. R. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. D. Percival, Mr. Louis Neilson, Mr. W. Parks, Mrs. Stapleton, Mr. Samuel Willetts, Mr. H. S. Page, Mr. Hamilton Hadden, Mr. H. M. Earle, Mr. Beverley Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. David, Mr. R. N. Ellis, Mr Henry Godfrey, Mr. J. P. Grace, Mr. H. V. Bell and Mr. Warner Baltazzi.

INTIMATIONS

Anderson.-Mr. A. A. Anderson has returned from California.

Baker .- Mr. and Mrs. George F. Baker

Bradley .- Mr. and Mrs. Edson Bradley

Cook .- Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Cook have returned from their wedding trip and are at No. 125 East Twenty-fourth street. Mrs. Cook was Miss Grace Bigelow Tracy.

d'Azy.-Viscountess Benoist d'Azy, wife of the Naval Attaché of the French Embassy at Washington, has returned from Canada.

Dickinson.—The Secretary of War and Mrs. Dickinson have been at New Haven with their son, Mr. Jacob McG. Dickinson. Duncan .- Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Duncan

have returned from Jekyl Island. Griffin.—A dinner at Sherry's and a theatre party was given on Wednesday,

March 9, by Mrs. Francis Hoyt Griffin. Gurnee.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Gurnee and Miss Bell Gurnee have gone to St. Augustine, Fla.

Jackson.—Mrs. Charles Carroll Jackson

is at Palm Beach, Fla.

Jennings .- Mr. and Mrs. Percy H. Jennings will return from Europe late this

Loew.—Mr. and Mrs. William Goadby Loew have returned from the South.

Lynch.—Miss Dolly Lynch, of Lakewood, N. J., will go to Washington on March 20 to stop with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Sinclair Cameron.

Olin.-Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Olin have returned from Mexico.

Perkins.-Mr. and Mrs. George W. Perkins have gone south.

Polk.—Dr. and Mrs. William M. Polk

are in the South. Potter.-Miss Blanche Potter has gone

to Bermuda. Robinson.-Miss Lota Robinson has left

for the South.

Roosevelt.-Mrs. Robert Roosevelt and Miss Olga Roosevelt are at New York for ten days.

Schieffelin.-Mr. William Jay Schieffelin has gone to Key West, Fla., to join Mr. Alessandro Fabbri.

Vanderbilt.-Mrs. Vanderbilt will give

a dinner on March 15. Washington.-Mrs. W. Lanier Washing-

ton is stopping with relatives in Louisville, Ky., where she will remain until after Easter.

Winslow.-Mrs. Francis Dana Winslow and Miss Margaret Winslow are in Eng-

Meeting of the Nursery and Child's Hospital Sewing Class.—March 18.—A meeting will be held on Friday, March 18, at the residence of Mrs. Henry Day Mills, No. 6 East 44th Street, from 11 to 1

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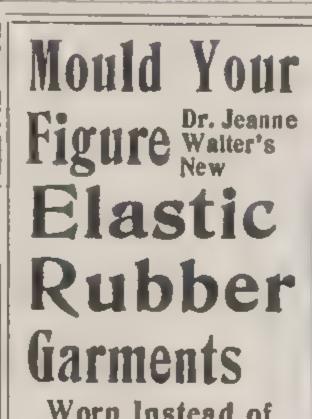




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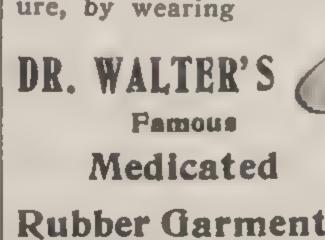
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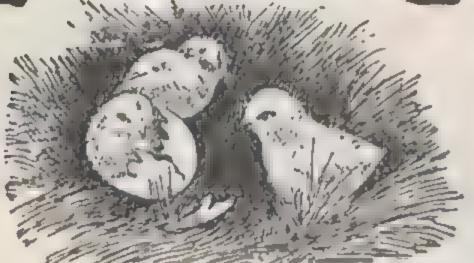


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New Haven. Curtiss Gallery. Tenth annual of the New Haven Paint and Clay Club. Until March 31. Philadelphia. Pennsylvania Academy of

Fine Arts. One hundred and fifth annual of oil paintings and sculpture. Until March 20. Washington. Congressional Library. Collection of lithographs illustrating its de-

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March 27. Worcester. Art Museum. Paintings by Paul Dougherty. Until March 31.

EXHIBITIONS TO COME

New York. Montross'. Annual of the Ten American Painters. March 24 to April

Fine Arts Gallery. Forty-second annual of the American Water Color Society. April 24 to May 22. Exhibits received April 15 and 16. Seventy-first Regiment Armory. Actors'

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Baltimore. Maryland Institute. Exhibition of paintings. Opens April 5. Cincinnati. Art Museum. Works by the

Society of Western Artists. During April. Minneapolis. Seventh annual exhibition of the State Art Society. March 26 to April 5.

Pittsburgh. Carnegie Institute. Fourteenth annual international exhibition of oil paintings. April 28 to June 30. No exhibits received after March 23.

AUCTION SALES

New York. Mendelssohn Hall. The Charles T. Yerkes collection of paintings, April 5, 6, 7 and 8. On view at the American Art Galleries from about March

GOSSIP

N March 2 an exhibition of portraits and figure paintings by the Hungarian artist, Mr. Louis Mark, was opened with a large reception at the National Arts Club in New York. Mr. Marks, whose home is in Budapest, where his work is greatly admired, comes to this country with commissions from the Austro-Hungarian government to paint portraits of Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, and several other notable Americans.

At the new Montross gallery may be seen a number of paintings by Horatio Walker, including "Ploughing-The First Gleam," which, while done about ten years ago, is still one of the finest pictures ever painted by this talented artist. Among the more recent works are "Man Felling a Tree," "A Frosty Morning," and "Boy and Calf." Following this exhibition, which will close on March 19, the annual exhibition of the Ten American Painters will be held in the Montross galleries.

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man house at the corner of Fifty-firth Street and the Avenue. Both will be transtormed into handsome and spacious gar leries, on the style of the modern Paris houses.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, held in February, the following officers were elected: President, Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan; first vice-president, Mr. Joseph II. Choate; second vice-president and secretary, Mr. Robert W. de Forest, and treasurer, Mr. Howard Mansfield. The trustees elected for the term ending in 1917 are Messrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Robert W. De Forest and Frank D. Millet, who was chosen to all the place of the late Mr. D. O. Mills. At the same time, in discussing the needs of the museum, Mr. Charles B. Stover, Commissioner of Parks, suggested that it be kept open on Sunday evenings, and that the city be asked to pay the full expenses of running. At present the municipality only pays a part of the annual expenses, and has never donated a single dollar for the purchase of any art object—all the collections having been presented by private individuals. Although this giving to public institutions is greatly to be admired, as all foreign countries and cities devote large sums annually for the purchase and maintenance of their art collections, it seems only right that the largest and greatest of American cities should at least maintain the art treasures that have been given it by its generous citizens.

Another painting soon to be presented to the museum is a life-size portrait of Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, by a young Peruvian artist, Señor Baca Flor. It is not entirely completed, but was shown to a number of Mr. Morgan's friends shortly before he sailed for Europe last month, and is said to be a fine work of art as well as a faithful likeness.

Mr. Morgan has also recently given to the American Museum of Natural History a \$30,000 collection of Indian costumes, weapons and utensils which is considered the finest of its kind in the country.

At the J. B. Ladd sale of paintings and porcelains, held on February 26 at the American Art Galleries, some excellent bargains were obtained, although the collection as a whole realized a fair price—the paintings (fifty-one in number) bringing \$33,485, and the Chinese art objects \$5,380. Among the pictures a delightful water color by Mauve, entitled "The Avenue," was bought by Senator Clark for \$3,300, and he also obtained a good example by Cazin-"Hay Ricks, Night"-for \$3,000. Some of the other paintings sold were: "Girl Knitting," by Israels, \$3,600; "Cloudy Day," by George Inness, \$1,200; "The Old Ploughman," by Mauve, \$1,625; and "St. Enfemina della Giudecca, Venice," by Rico, for \$2,500. The gem of the old Chinese porcelains was a beautiful Sand-de Boeuf vase, which sold for \$1,150.

At the same sale fifty-four fine Chinese porcelains, collected by Mr. E. H. Gay, of Boston, realized a total of \$20,197, the finest specimen consisting of a powder blue ginger jar, of the Kang-hsi period, and a pair of powder blue palace jars, being purchased by Duveen Bros. for \$2,250 and \$2,900, respectively.

It has been announced that a tract of land to be included in the Palisades Park on the Hudson has been offered as a site for an aged artists' home, and a committee appointed by the Fine Arts Federation (which has for some time past been looking into the matter of a home) to consider the project consists of Messrs. George F. Kunz, Daniel C. French, Augustus Lukeman, Charles A. Rich and Henry B. Snell.

By the will of the late Matthias H. Arnot, who was one of the richest men of Elmira, that city was bequeathed his art gallery, with an endowment fund for supporting it, which together are valued at \$600,000.

The U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis has recently received as a gift from Col. Robert M. Thompson, and others, Mr. Al-The removal within the near future of fred C. Howland's painting, "The Fight Bethe Glaenzer and Duveen galleries will tween the Kearsarge and the Alabama." At carry the line of dealers' showrooms on a sale of pictures by Mr. Howland, held Fifth Avenue still further up town. Duveen in New York during February, sixty-nine Brothers have leased the large house at the canvases realized a total of only \$2,605, corner of Fifty-sixth Street and Fifth many charming paintings going at bargain-

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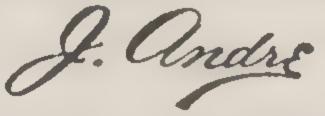
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Ans.—In addressing a wedding invitation to a man and his wife, the inner envelope should read "Mr. and Mrs." without the address; and the outer envelope should have the same name-that is, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown-and the full address below it. It is becoming the custom now, however, to dispense with the inner envelope and use only one as in other invitations.

WIDOW'S MOURNING (TO M. C. A.)

If a widow of thirty-five wears crêpe what is the correct style hat and veil? Which is the correct glove, suède or glacé?

If the house dresses are trimmed with crêpe, are the street suits also?

Ans.—For a widow wearing crepe there are various styles of hats. For the first three months a small toque or bonnet with a long crêpe veil draped down the back and a shorter one over the face. After three months a crèpe-edged net veil is worn over the face, and after six months a hat or toque is worn in one of the prevailing styles, with a shorter crêpe veil draped from the back. Of course the season of the year affects the fashion of mourning millinery, as long crêpe veils are not worn

worn in both pure white and black. Both suède and glacé gloves are worn in the deepest mourning. Suede, we think, is better for afternoon wear; but both are

in summer except, perhaps, to church.

Otherwise net and crêpe trimmed hats are

correct. It is not necessary to have street suits crêpe-trimmed, and we think plain tailor suits better style for street wear, made of cloth, serge, cheviot, homespun or any suitable mourning material.

CARDS, ETC., FOR THREE UNMARRIED SISTERS (TO L. MCI.)

Is it correct to have cards marked "The Misses Bush? to send with presents, flowers, etc.?

How should notes be answered in which the three sisters are included?

Ans.—It is correct to have cards for most uses engraved "The Misses Bush," but you should have separate cards also, to be used for your individual friends.

To all formal invitations you can write acceptances or replies in the third person; for instance:

"The Misses Bush regret that a previous engagement prevents them from accepting Mrs. John Jones kind invitation for bridge on Tuesday, etc."

This, however, would not do unless you all wished to regret or accept. There is no signature to a formal note. A formal note of thanks would be:

"The Misses Bush wish to thank Mrs. John Jones for the beautiful flowers recently received."

Notes of thanks are not usually formal, as a much more cordial note should be written by one of you:

"My dear Mrs. Jones: Thank you so much for sending us the beautiful flowers. My sisters wish me to add their appreciation of your sweet thought.

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Ans.—We do not, as a rule, give ideas for fancy entertaining, as we do not consider it in good taste. Anything novel and original in the form of a dinner just before a wedding does not seem to us advisable. It would be much better to give a formal dinner with appropriate decorations and favors. However, if you prefer the fanciful idea have the centerpiece of flowers, red and white carnations, in the form of two hearts, one partly concealing the other, pierced by a gilded arrow. The place cards may be of cardboard, with cupids painted in water-colors and with different lave sentiments, or little bisque cupids may be used, each holding a place card.

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ANSWERING INVITATIONS (TO "KENT")

Please tell me the correct way to answer an invitation to a card party or tea, when the invitation is written on a visiting card. When does a married woman sign her own name, and when does she use the prefix Mrs. before her husband's name?

My daughter attends a private school. How should I sign her reports every month?

Ans.—It is correct to answer an invitation in the same form as it is sent, therefore an invitation on a visiting card may be answered in the same manner.

Many persons prefer to reply with a note; if this is done, a formal note is written as in accepting an invitation to a wedding breakfast. If you get an informal note inviting you to a tea or bridge, the reply should be informal, but a note written in reply to an invitation on a visiting card should be formal.

You cannot make a mistake if your reply to an invitation is in the same form as the invitation.

When signing a register in a public place like a hotel or a club, you should write Mrs. A. D. Shotter, as there you are not known. If, however, you sign a guest book in a private house you would sign yourself Mary Louise B. Shotter, for there you are with friends and they know who you

are. Your daughter's school report you should sign Mary Louise B. Shotter.

Sign your business letters as you have signed the one to us, with your own name and then your husband's.

APPROPRIATE MATERIALS FOR EMBROIDERED YOKE AND COLLAR (TO D. S.)

Of what materials should embroidered rever collar and yoke of gown of gray poplin be made?

Ans.-Make the embroidered collar of Notes should have personal replies; the gown of gray velvet just the color of flowers and invitations should have an im- the material, embroidered in lighter shades of gray and silver and edged with a tiny

Plaiting of gray taffeta. The inside yoke and collar, of which you could have several, may be made of crochet lace, of tucked net or of fine tucked white batiste.

MONOGRAMS ON HOUSEHOLD LINEN (TO D. A. H. S.)

I wish a set of monograms on my household linens, and would like to know what initials I should use. My initials before by marriage were D. A. 11., and some of my things are marked in that way. Should use that same monogram, or should I have the new set made D. H. S., leaving out the A., or could I use all four initials? dislike to drop the A., which stands for an old family name. If it would seem affected to use the four initials I do not want to do so.

Should a monogram conform to the shape of the piece upon which it is used? On a round centerpiece or plate doilies, is it necessary to have a rounding monogram, or could I use the square or round design on any article? I prefer a slightly oval

monogram for all my linen, unless you consider the square more suitable.

At an evening reception where one wears dressy gowns, but not strictly evening dress, should hats be worn or removed?

Ans.—In your monograms you may use four letters if you like. They should be D. A. H. S., or if you prefer to use the A. and leave out the S. you may use D. A. H.

We do not think it is necessary to have the monogram conform absolutely to the shape of the piece on which it is used, but in marking a round article it does not look well to use a square monogram, though in a square article the round or oval monogram would look just as well. We think a round monogram, if you want to use it on all sorts of things, would be more useful than an oval one.

At an evening reception where you wear an elaborate gown, if it is in a private house do not wear a hat; at receptions in hotels or public places hats are often worn both with high evening gowns and with low ones.

HAPHAZARD JOTTINGS

to serve the public in a political way, by applying for places in the London County Council, which for the first time in its history are now open to them. This body is a very important one, as it has jurisdiction over about 600,000 school children; administers the affairs of asylums having 11,000 women lunatics; inspects baby farms; superintends the carrying out of the "Children's act," and attends to many other duties of this class, yet only six women came forward as candidates, and among them not one was identified with the suftragette group,

A RUINED RACE

In an interesting note on the Eskimos, who have been so much to the fore during the last few months, it is stated that this People (which has an antiquity of 50,000 years) is by no means savage, having well fixed standards of moral rectitude, religion and social customs, and its chief native characteristics being honesty, cheerfulness and peacefulness. Unfortunately, association with Europeans, including marriage, 18 destroying the morality and the purity of the race, and its ultimate extermination appears to be only a matter of time.

PROGRESS ON WHEELS

Although it is barely five years since the commercial motor has made a place for itself in the business world, the increase in the numbers used, both here and in Europe is extraordinary. The inadequacy of the horse-drawn vehicle for delivery pur-Poses in large cities, where the distances are ever becoming greater is patent, and the motor truck takes up less space in the Street, can be more easily manipulated, and can be better controlled to such speed as traffic demands indicate. Moreover, carefully compiled estimates show that the mofor truck cuts down the cost of delivery at least 20 per cent.

JAPAN'S VERY EXISTENCE DEMANDS PEACE

Those military and naval groups and individuals who think it to their interest to 10ment hostile sentiment between Japan and the United States, by insisting, in season and out, on the aggressiveness of Japan and her preparations for war, should realize that a little study of Japan's financial inlerests indicates that for her, peace is imperative, if she would escape being a bankfupt nation. And her course has not only been peaceful, but her pacific intentions have been believed in by her own people, and by foreign financial groups. Indeed, one important result of her real non-warlike attitude is that her Cabinet a short time ago decided to issue a 4-per-cent. domestic loan of \$50,000,000 to redeem out-Standing 5-per-cent, bonds to a like amount, The government proposes gradually to convert other domestic loans until all have been placed on a 4-per-cent. basis. The reason assigned for this action is the steady increase in the value of the government bonds, due to a consistent policy of preserving peace, and the adjustment of the

UCH portion of the British and Amer- national finances. This feeling of security ican press as interests itself in the is reflected on the New York Stock Exdoings of the suffragists, has drawn change, where the Japanese 4-per-cent. attention with surprise to the indifference bonds have lately reached the highest price they show to a newly acquired opportunity at which they have ever been sold here, and in London, where they are quoted considerably higher than here. Since the autumn of 1908, when Japan cut down her naval expenditures by one-half, and voted for other economies, and when she also provided for the automatic reduction of the national debt by not less than \$75,000,000 annually, there has been a great improvement in the prices of Japan's securities. Those who are trying so assiduously to develop a war scare had best select some other bogey than Japan, as the "financiers" constitute a war or peace barometer that are easily consulted in the daily press stock quotations.

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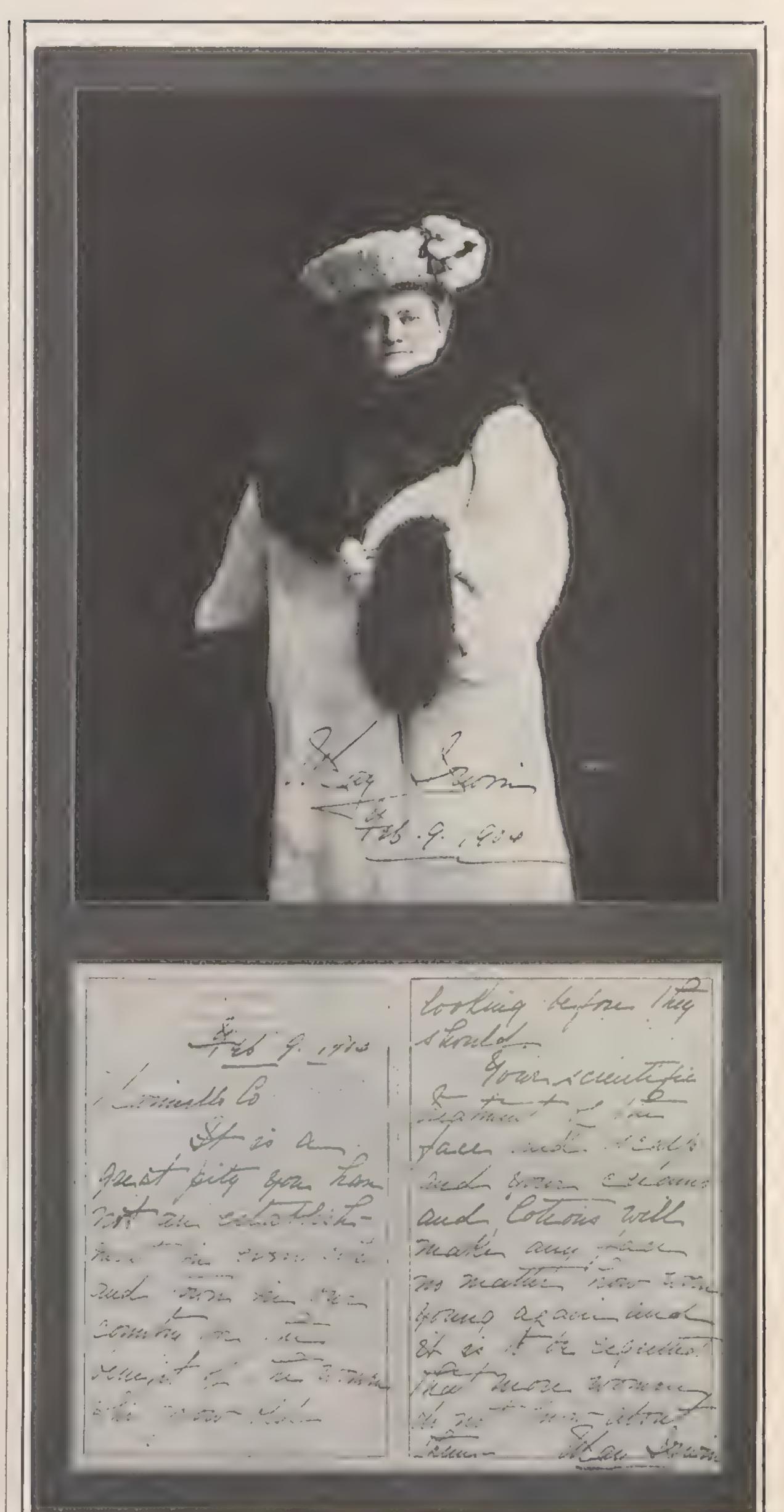
The official directory of the Roman Catholic Church gives 22,587,079 as the number of members of that faith under the jurisdiction of the United States, including those in Alaska, the Philippines, Porto Rico and the Hawaiian Islands. The number of Catholics in the United States proper is 1,434,707, which shows a gain from all sources, including immigration, of 111,576. There are 4,845 parochial schools in this country, with an attendance of 1,237,251; New York State leads in the number of Catholics (the total being 2,722,649—which is about 25 per cent, of the State's population); Pennsylvania has 1,494,766; Illinois, 1,443,757, and Massachusetts, 1,373,772.

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HE DEFIES OLD AGE

A "Globe" correspondent has drawn attention to the oldest living preacher—the Rev. William Hutchinson, vicar of Burton, near Stoke-on-Trent, England-who is still preaching in his church regularly every Sunday, although he has now entered upon his one hundredth year. Hs is an Oxford University graduate, and was ordained to the ministry of England seventy-six years ago. The old clergyman still considers himself young and active, and for several years has been asked to "kick off" at the football match in his village. He was presented to his present benefice, the value of which is £350 a year, by the Duke of Sutherland. He says he has no special recipe for old age, but has simply lived the quiet life of a country parson, although he credits the kindness of patience of his parishioners, of whom there are about 500, with being the cause of much of his good



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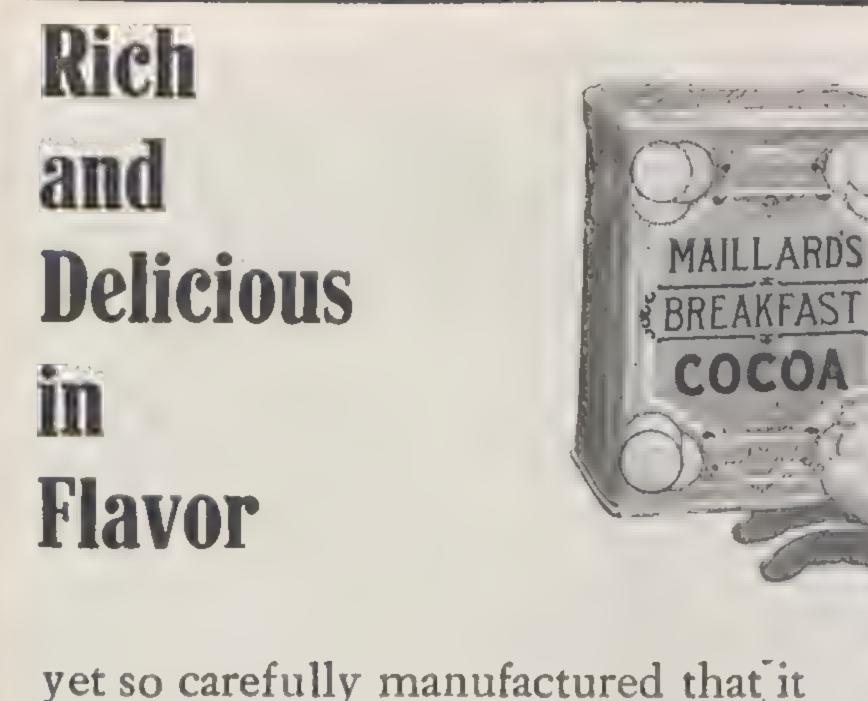
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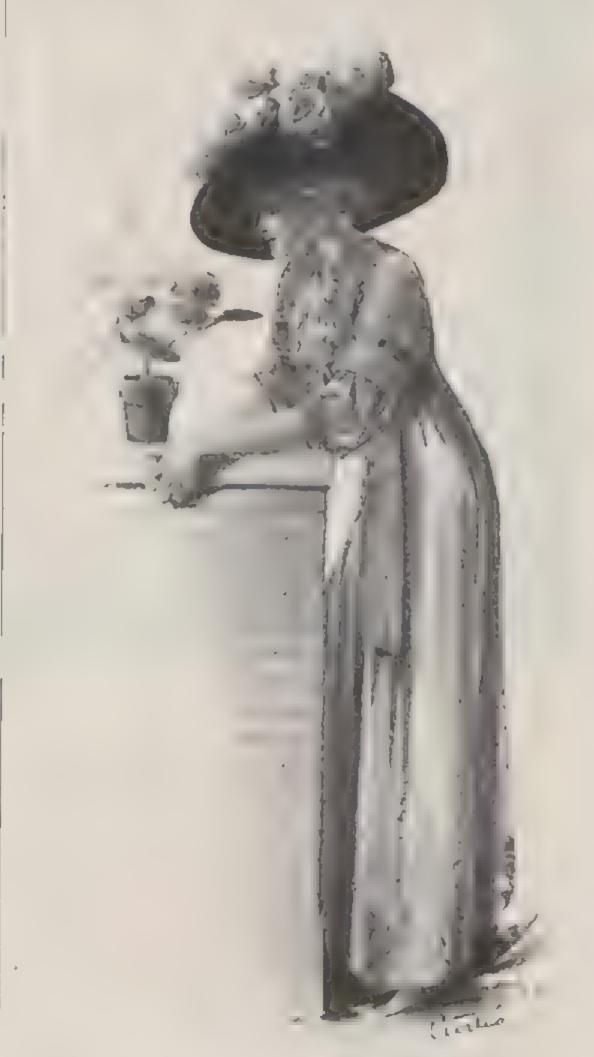
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EFT FIGURE.—Suit of tilleul serge with frills of white linen at wrists and neck. Hat of tilleul mohair with crown band and brim facing of black velvet and trimmed with a black aigrette.

MIDDLE FIGURE.—Suit of white linen voile trimmed with Venetian cut work. Small rolling collar of scarlet velvet. Hat of mauve straw piled with purple pansies. The high tight band of scarlet velvet around the crown is veiled with violet tulle.

RIGHT FIGURE.-Frock of crow blue chiffon combined with satin in the same tone, and made over an underdress of figured silk in pink and old blue. The skirt is shirred at the waist line and is belted with a narrow band of turquoise blue velvet. Streamers of blue velvet are caught at the knee and drawn through a jeweled slide.

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LEFT FIGURE.-Blouse of white linen of Irish crochet lace.

Ramie linen, hand embroidered in self-tone cotton. The piping at the neck, sleeves and belt is of gray linen and the buttons are of gray gunmetal.

RIGHT FIGURE.—Simple tub blouse of white batiste laid in beds of hand tucks. A plaited jabot falls to one side.

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UPPER LEFT.—Hat of champagne-colored toga straw faced with black velvet and trimmed with champagne-colored plumes.

UPPER RIGHT .--- Turban of fancy black straw with a cerise feather fancy placed at the left side.

MIDDLE.—Large black leghorn hat faced with black velvet. The top is covered with flowers and leaves—pink and yellow roses, large pansies, orchids and maiden hair fern. Lower Left.-Hat of black straw with

an aigrette and two quills at the side. LOWER RIGHT.—Round turban of black silk braid, the top being a solid mass of

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pink chiffon roses.

LEFT FIGURE.—Tailored suit of mustard colored broadcloth trimmed with tucked hands of the same material. The small revers, buttons, and cuff edge are of black satin. A tiny jabot of cream lace finishes the jacket where it closes at the front. Large hat of mustard-colored straw trimmed with black satin.

MIDDLE FIGURE.—Suit of olive green Scotch tweed finished with stitched bands of the same material. The coat is left collarless, a smart finish being given by means of a fold of the goods laced in and out around the neck. The hat is of olive green Milan straw with pink moss curls. Ornament of gold spangles. roses around the crown and a black satin rosette at the left side of the upturned

navy blue diagonal serge, with braiding and buttons of the same color. The skirt is laid in broad box plaits. The hat is a "bicorne" trimmed with two large pompoms of natural colored coque feathers.

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Upper Left.—A parasol of glossy white taffeta, woven with a deep blue satin border, and showing check stripes in the same color. The silk is mounted to an eight-rod frame of gunmetal, and this is finished with a stick of white natural wood, which terminates in a handle, sculptured to show the head of a grayhound, with brilliant bead eyes and a collar of gunmetal. (From Henesey.)

UPPER RIGHT.—This illustration displays a sunshade of great beauty. It is made with a slender stick of white enameled wood and covered with soft satin in a clear, light cream tone. The decoration is a large, carelessly arranged bouquet of gorgeously tinted American Beauties, with foliage painted on the delicate background. (From Louise & Co.)

MIDDLE FIGURE.—Parasol of taffeta in a pale, soft ivory tone, overlaid with a large round medallion, which practically covers the entire surface. This shows exquisite hand embroidery of flower sprays with eyelet embroidery. The inserts are in Rococo festoon effect on a filmy back ground of lace tulle. The outer and inner MIDDLE FIGURE.—Suit of rose-colored edge of this embroidered section is out lined with festoons of Princess lace, also in Rococo effect, and these again are trimmed with round and palm-shaped motifs in fine Renaissance braid and thin linen thread. The parasol is finished with a long, obelisk-shaped handle of white enameled wood, decorated with a smart bow of moiré ribbon, fastened with a hand some passementerie ornament, (From Knox.)

> Lower Left.-This model is of soft taffeta in a deep tone of almond green, and decorated with a little plaited frill of the same material. The frame deviates from the traditional form, in that it has twelve rods instead of the customary eight, and thus appears more vaulted, and a charming contrast is effected by the delicate biege color of the handle. This is made of raffia and fine gold wire, and is effectively trimmed with incrustations of small, round jades. A tassel in the shade of the silk affords a finishing touch.

> Lower Right.—This smart model 15 made of faille silk in a clear, tone of "rost cendrillé" (ashes of roses) showing a woven satin border in a much deeper tint. The handle is of polished, dark brown wood, and is decorated with a duck's head of polished copper, which blends well with the tone of the silk. The extraordinarily long tip is in more than half its hight covered with a dainty little shirred and puffed sheath of the faille.

> The handles illustrated show three of the smart and distinguished models of the

season.

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The top figure shows a modified Grecian coiffure, extending far out at the back, and finished with a mass of loose putt

The middle head shows an adaptation of the 1850 coiffure with puffs and curls at either side over the ears, which are held RIGHT FIGURE.-An attractive model in in place with large shell pins. Ropes of pearls are gracefully twined round the

> A modified turban swirl effect, the front and sides being "en pompadour," is shown by the lower figure.

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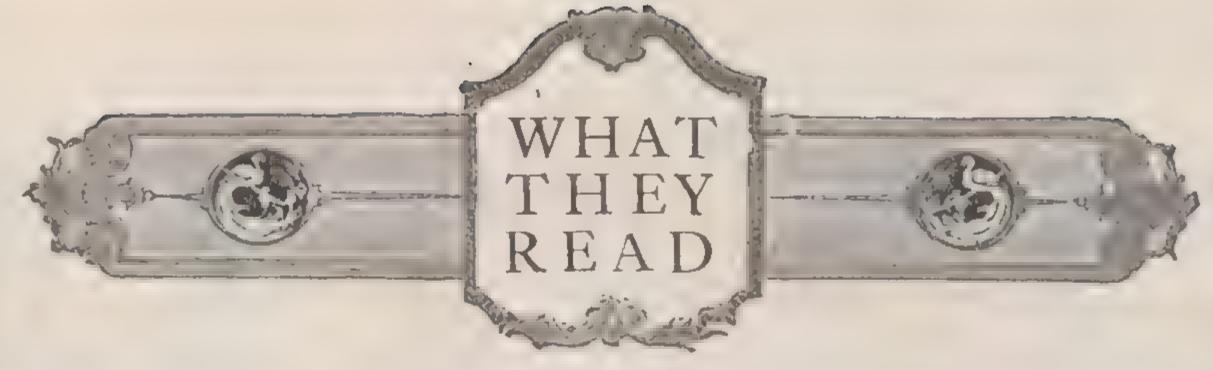
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POEMS IN EARLY YOUTH (Published Kipling and the latter-day Myra Kelly, not to mention many others, bear out this statement in their productions. Hence, the case of Mr. Lincoln is somewhat remarkable, for the novel, "Keziah Coffin," is more artistic and humanly, interesting than any short story by this author that we have read. The heroine, who gives the title to the book, is a canny, wholesome soul of forty odd years of age. Keziah is popularly supposed to be a widow, but secretly she is in receipt at irregular and painful intervals of written proof that her unworthy husband is alive.

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"Rising to peer over the bushes at the Minister and Grace" From "Keziah Coffin"

from Wordsworthian. One catches a "Love in the Valley." In this kind of awaited. verse he reached his finest in such poems as the great and noble "Woods of Westermaine," nothing of which, we believe, appears in this volume. Some of the lyrics in the collection have the Elizabethan qualities of simplicity and seemingly artless music, but many of the verses are offensive to the ear, and bald in phrase. For one line like the delicious "The church bells sound water-like over the wheat," we have ten of such unmusical prose as most in the poem entitled "London by Lamplight." The selections from "Modern Love" show us the novelist in the making.

KEZIAH COFFIN. By Joseph C. Lin-COLN, AUTHOR OF CAP'N ERI, CY WHIT-TAKER'S PLACE, ETC. WITH ILLUSTRA-TIONS BY WALLACE MORGAN. D. APPLE-TON & Co. \$1.50.

Although Mr. Lincoln is widely known for his many racy and clever yarns about Cape Cod and its people, if we mistake not "Keziah Coffin" represents only the second attempt by this author at a regular novel. Odd as it may seem, it very frequently happens that the successful writer of short stories is quite unable to produce an effective, or more than mediocre novel. Poe,

between 1860 and 1880. The early poems version. "Kyan" Pepper, for instance, also show the influence of Coleridge, Shelley, his sister, Laviny, and the cheery Captain Keats, Wordsworth, and the Elizabethan Zeb are gems of quaint character drawing. lyrists. Now and then he attempts to be In fact, the reader will have to divide his Greek with Keats, and his poems of wild interest between the highly dramatic denature were at first much influenced by velopment of the story and the episodes of Wordsworth, though later he had a way of village life, with particular reference to the seeing and expressing nature that was far religious differences between the "regulars" and the vociferous "come-outers." glimpse of this in the delicious poem, The next novel by Mr. Lincoln is eagerly

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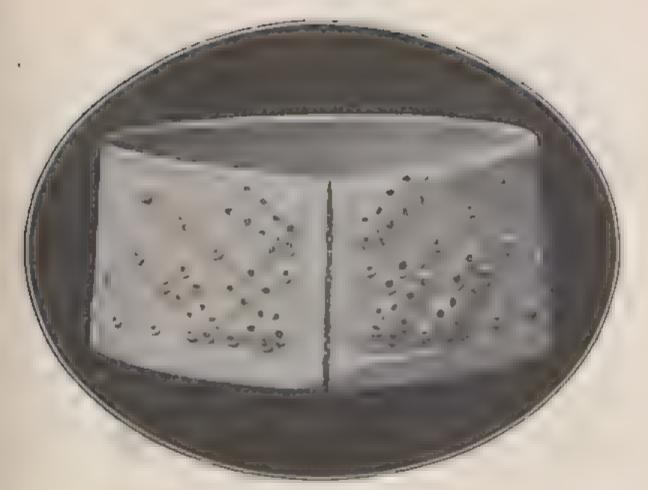
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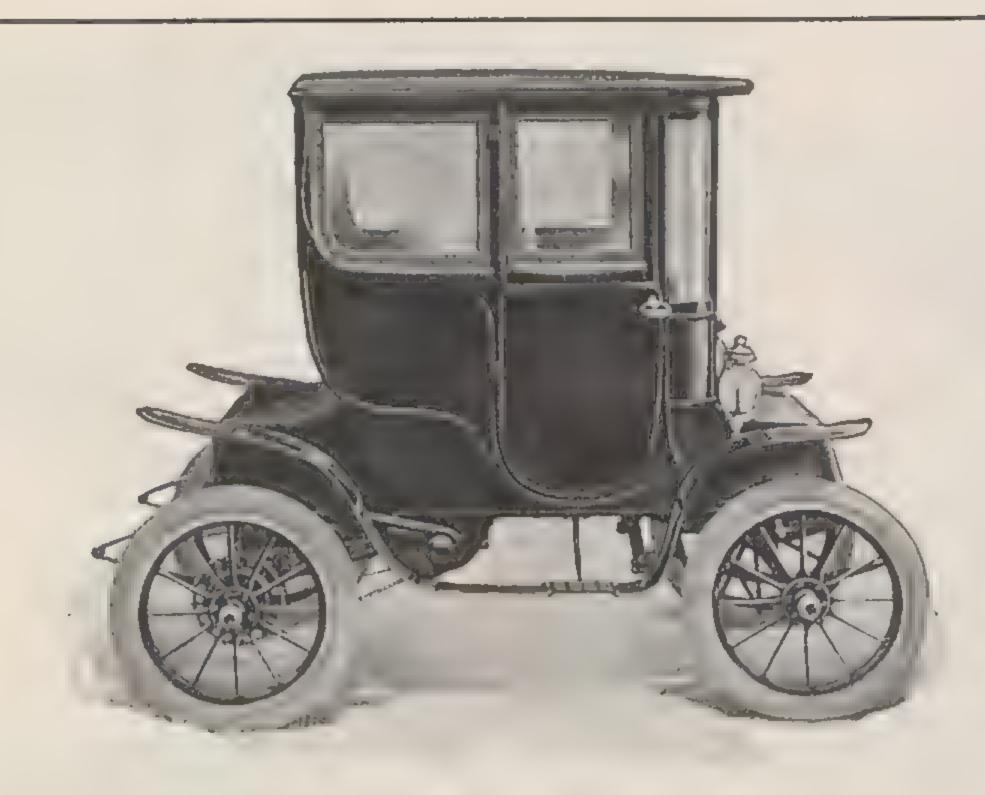
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she went a trifle too far, nevertheless, when she made one of her wives true to the brutal husband who had deserted her and then re-married. As usual, perhaps even more than in most of her stories, Mrs. Cutting has decorated these tales with keen observation of men and things, with happy bits of description and subtle implications of humor. Her style is distinguished by qualities of charm and felicities of touch rare in the fiction of any save American women.

ACTIONS AND REACTIONS. By Rup-YARD KIPLING. ILLUSTRATED. DOUBLE-DAY, PAGE & Co. \$1.50.

Mr. Kipling seems to have brought together the eight stories that make up this volume just to prove that he can write in any one of the several manners in which he has won distinction and a little company of more or less inept imitators. "An Habitation Enforced," the opening tale of the volume, is not at all a story in the usual sense, if in any sense of the word, but a study in British and American contrasts, an elaborately broidered thing, done with that closeness of observation and distinction and energy of phrase which are the despair of any except one or two among his young disciples. The dog story which follows is nearer the mark of "Soldiers Three" than anything else in the book, while "With the Night Mail" is a bewilderingly brilliant tour de force of imagination, bristling with carefully studied but hopelessly puzzling mechanical terms, sparkling with epigrammatic description, and amazing in its audacious spirit of prophecy. It is too long, however, and its extremely technical language makes it a mystery to the uninstructed, but a mystery that a few such may in some measure apprehend by a sustained feat of sympathetic imagination. Only Mr. Kipling could do such a story, but let us hope he will not do too many such.

Of the other stories, one smacks of the author's somewhat early Anglo-Indian period, another is inspired by his new and extreme jingoism, and still another is an adventure in his favorite field of animal life. Several of the poems that undertake to embody the spirit of these stories are reminiscent of his old lyric charm, while every one is distinguished by that mastery of phrase, that certainty, ease and effectiveness of epithet in which he is unrivaled, but hardly one has the naive appeal of the things that have put his best verse into the mouths of delighted admirers by the hundred thousand. This book as a whole proves that Mr. Kipling can do almost anything that he will, but a good deal of it suggests misdirected effort, waste of strength upon what is hardly worth while. It is unreasonable to demand that Mr. Kipling shall "shut and be a bud again," but it is not unreasonable, we hope, to expect that he may work through his present stage of almost pure symbolism, and give us a subtler symbolism, if he likes, under the guise of realism.

TREMENDOUS TRIFLES. By G. K. CHESTERTON, AUTHOR OF VARIED TYPES, HERETICS, CHARLES DICKENS, ETC. DODD, MEAD & CO. \$1.20 NET.

After one has exhausted such common adjectives of praise as "delightful," delicious," "charming," "fascinating," one still searches the mind for yet other favorable terms with which to characterize Mr. Chesterton's little essays. The papers brought together in this volume, republished from the London Daily News, illustrate what may be made of trifles by a man with the seeing eye, the transforming imagination, and the embellishing humor which are among Mr. Chesterton's gifts. All sorts of trivialities give Mr. Chesterton the opportunity to employ these gifts, and the result is an entrancing melange of wit, humor, paradox, philosophy. He knows as no man since Charles Lamb has known how to astonish the reader who is fascinated by the light play of his humor by a sudden plunge into the depths which he lights up with a white flash of electric-like imagination. The little sketch entitled "The Secret of the Train" is largely wrought of such that amazingly imaginative and whimsically conjecture.

humorous product of Elia called "The Convalescent."

Quotation from Mr. Chesterton is a dangerous thing; it is apt to lead one to excess, but one or two passages must be here set down. At one place he speaks of a man, "who in the confusion, and comparative insanity of a General Election had somehow become a member of Parliament." Again he says, apropos of major and minor morals, "I have met an Ibsenite pessimist, who thought it wrong to take beer, but right to take prussic acid." In the nobly imaginative essay entitled "The Two Noises," which opens with a singularly beautiful description of the breaking surf, he says: "The British Empire may annex what it likes, it will never annex England." He is specially happy in those essays that have to do with France, and he indicates by clever innuendo the different significance of things in England and in France, when he says, "There is, or was, a bitter Republican paper in Paris called La Lanterne. How funny it would be if there were a Progressive paper in England called The Lamp Post!"

Mr. Chesterton is much of the time more and better than humorous, but now and then his humor becomes so utterly British as to be unintelligible to an American; it is as if he suddenly dropped the familiar mother tongue and began writing in some language known to Britons but utterly foreign to Americans. The words look familiar, but their connotation is a baffling mystery. Such passages are evidently intended to be humorous, for they can be nothing else, unless the American reader can believe that he himself has suddenly lost his mind. Humorous no doubt such passages are, but most Americans find them no funnier than the Binomial Theorem, or the demonstration of the Pons Asinorum. Mr. Chesterton once wrote a whole maddening book in this incomprehensible British tongue; fortunately he has employed it but rarely in the present volume, but he should forswear it altogether in the interest of the mutual good understanding between the two great branches of the English-speaking peoples. Why could he not employ some American friend, not a clever, Briticised person like Henry James, but almost any simple-minded good fellow from this side the Atlantic, to revise his proofs and cut out all that is unintelligible? This would be better than skilled diplomacy, for there can never be a thoroughly good understanding between the two nations until Mr. Chesterton and all other English writers who are prime favorites here shall utterly eschew the purely British form of humor.

RECOLLECTIONS OF LEONARD, HAIR-DRESSER TO MARIE-ANTOINETTE. TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH BY E. Jules Meras. New York: Sturgis AND WALTON COMPANY. \$1.50.

Léonard Autie reveals much of court life under Louis xv and his successor, but a good deal more of himself. As thus selfportrayed he appears a clever, handsome, far from unscrupulous, but not disloyal provincial, with the intellectual keenness and moral hardihood to read courageously and clearly the noble and royal personages with whom he was surrounded. Louis xvi appears to his wife's hair-dresser & dull, blear-eyed, awkward, irresolute and boorish young man. The king's brothers and cousins are read with like pitiless clearness, and Léonard has many a droll sarcasm at the expense of lesser greatfolk. For the ladies, with whom he boasts himself a great favorite, his criticism is somewhat more charitable. He thought Madame Elizabeth saintly, and he declines to slander the beautiful Princess de Lamballe. As to Marie Antoinette herself, he occasionally seems to imply evil things, and he reports her extremely frivolous and imprudent, but he again and again defends her against specific charges of wrong doing. He even disbelieves that she was too kind to the faithful Count Fersen.

When Léonard drops the character of a scandalous chronicler and assumes the rôle of historian he speaks with dignity and discrimination. Often, indeed, one suspects his veracity, but one never finds him dull or unintelligent. As to the translator, he has not put his story into specially pleasing English, and he has quailed before the problem of expurgation. Scanimagination, and it closes in a passage that dalous memoirs are seldom crude or gross leaves the reader fairly gasping with dark in French, they are seldom aught else in surmise. Only one of these essays has an English, and the multiple periods that inindividual, resemblance to an essay of dicate elided passage of Léonard's work Lamb, that on "The Advantages of Having are suggestive reminders of what he must Only One Leg," which remotely suggests have written, that give room for wide

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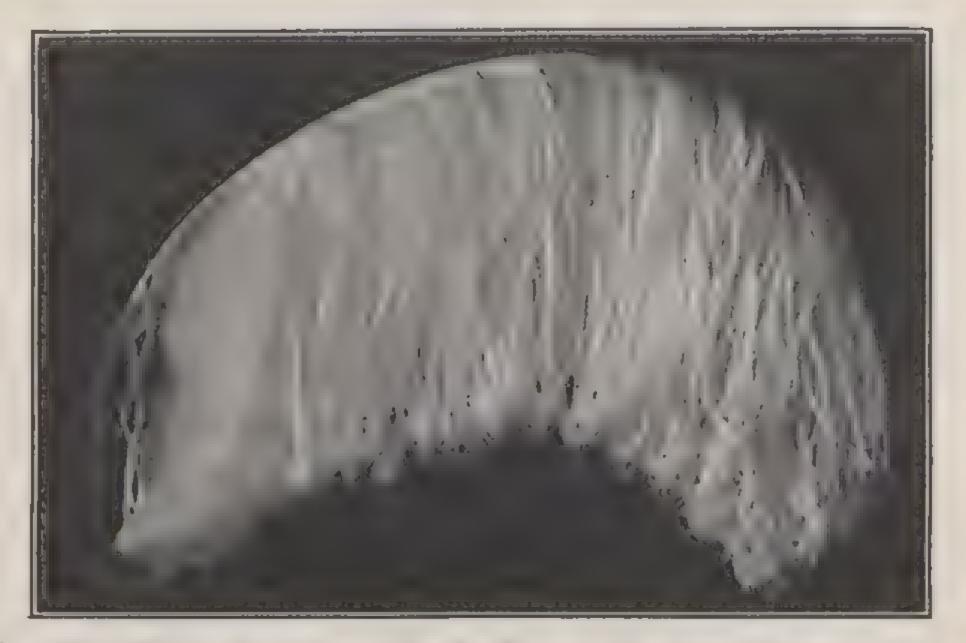
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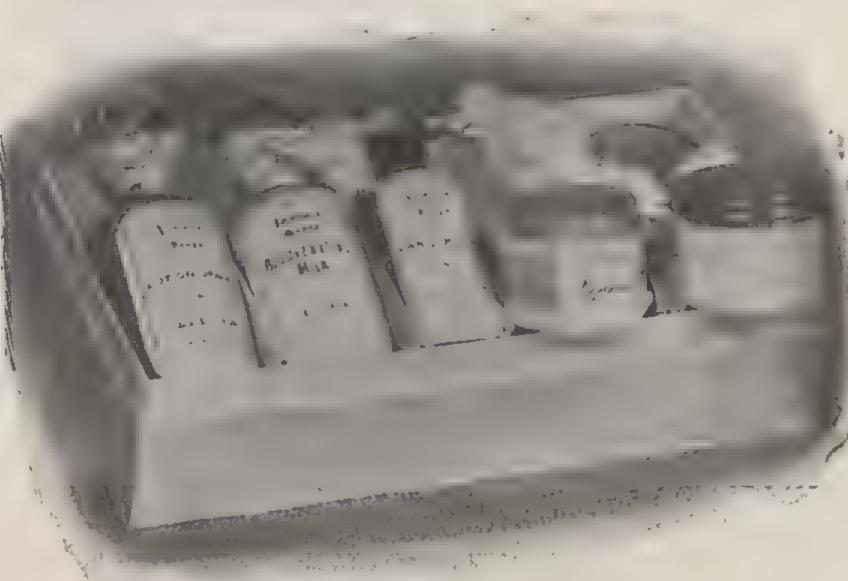
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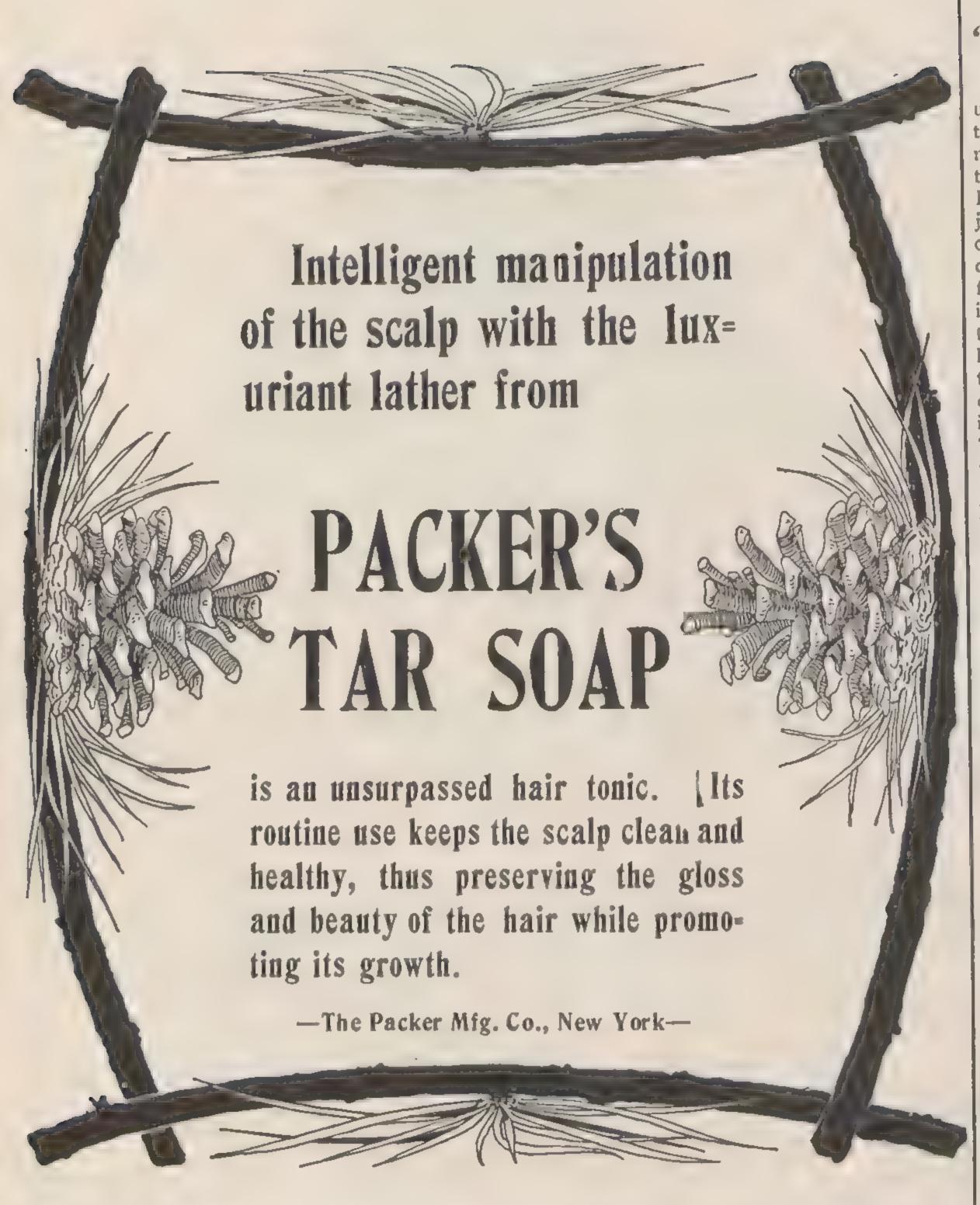
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TAR on the White Slave Trade" (The Charles C. Thompson Co., Chicago, \$1.50), is a volume edited by Ernest A. Bell, secretary of the Illinois Vigilance Association, and made up of papers by United States District Attorney Sims of Chicago, James B. Reynolds, and others of repute. The object of the book is to awaken public opinion upon the subject of the loathesome crimes practiced against society and defenseless women by the vilest miscreants in our great cities. Some of the stories told in these papers are almost beyond belief, and nothing is more conspicuous than the fact that many girls fall into the hands of vile procurers through the unsuspicious innocence of themselves and their parents. This whole subject is so gross that the wonder is public opinion has been so long in responding to the cry for help that has come from the cruelly wronged victims of this traffic. Of course the evil in question is only part of the larger social problem, but it is a part that can hardly wait for the wider solution which reformers find it so hard to agree upon. We are all of one mind in thinking that we must have special laws to fit this case, though we need not be so sanguine as to suppose we shall easily crush out the evil in all its manifestations. The unsavory subject is handled in this book as delicately as faithfulness to truth will permit.

The Macmillans have issued a new edition of Mary Conyngton's "How to Help: A Manual of Practical Charity." The author tells us in her preface that the work has been revised, though the subject matter has not been materially changed. She discusses her subject from a modern point of view, holding that charity shall be given not so much with the expectation of alleviating by temporary aid permanent conditions of poverty inherent in the divine order of the universe, but upon the theory that much of the poverty we see results from remediable social conditions and evil institutions. While she has advice, therefore, as to the wisest system of temporary alleviation, she constantly emphasizes the necessity for the study of larger remedial means. She sounds a timely warning against self-constituted charity promoters.

Edward Hutton's "Rome" (The Macmillan Company, \$2 net) might serve well as a guide to the nobler things of the eternal city, though it is much more than that. The author has a genuine enthusiasm for his subject, and a measureless contempt for those who have modernized Rome with such disastrous results. He discusses the great buildings both of the classical period and of the Renaissance, the museums, the Campagna, the fountains, and some of the great highways. His denunciation of some famous treasures of the Vatican will astonish those not familiar with the most modern criticism. Maxwell Armfield furnishes sixteen delicately tinted illustrations, some of which have great beauty, and there are twelve other pictures showing buildings, fountains and sculpture. One photo engraving shows the familiar "Sacred and Profane Love" by which Titian is perhaps best known to those unfamilar with the originals of his paintings.

RECENT FICTION

RS. WILFRID WARD'S new novel, "Great Possessions" (G. P. Putnam's Sons, \$1.35 net), is a story of a mysterious bequest whereby the young, and supposedly beloved wife of a dead military hero is left with a modest \$4,000 a year, while the bulk of her husband's great fortune goes elsewhere. The whole story is occupied with the unraveling of this mystery, but incidental to the baffling plot there are happy effects of humor, and striking elements of characterization. Most readers will find the elegant Sir Edmund Grosse the most interesting character in the story, and he is probably the author's favorite, for upon him she has certainly expended the most loving care. rie stands out as a real person among a good many somewhat lifeless figures. Mrs. Ward writes with ease, assurance, and effect. She shows a sufficient variety of persons, though most of them are of the upper middle classes. She does, however, make the heiress' night in the room of the sick scullery maid play a part in the moral development of the story. Some readers will be disappointed to learn

that the presentation at court which forms one scene of the book is done without elaboration and in the spirit of the emancipated woman to whom such events are only part of the world's most trivial show. We suspect a really full and serious treatment of this important social subject would have commended the book to a great many readers on this side of the Atlantic as well as in the British Isles.

The versatile Miss Carolyn Wells, just by way of proving that she can do anything she chooses, has written "The Clue" (J. B. Lippincott Co., \$1.50), a conventional story of crime and detection, with the proper accompaniment of characters with distinguished names, such as Madeline Van Norman, Schuyler Carleton, Robert Fessenden, Thomas Willard, Miss Morton, Mrs. Markham, and the like. Chapter III is headed "A Cry in the Night," and it opens with the one word "Help!" After that the game is on, and the reader holds his breath for each new event.

In "The Daysman" (Cochrane Publishing Company), which appears anonymously, we seem to have the first published attempt of a young author, and the attempt is neither uninteresting nor unpromising, though we guess the author has a good deal to learn, and to unlearn, before he shall write really successful fiction. His style is easy, correct, and at times not unpicturesque, but it is too consciously literary, too much in keeping with the carefully chosen quotations for chapter headings, and the more than occasional display of such knowledge as one acquires in the ordinary academic course at college. The misuse of the verb "lay" for "lie" at one point we set down against the proofreader rather than the author. Arizona is the chief scene of the story, and the author introduces his local color with the air of easy familiarity. He is a little slow in getting his machinery started, and it must be owned that he does not succeed in nailing the interest of the reader. When he shifts from Arizona to Washington and introduces in the statehood struggle he seems less sure of his ground. The closing love scene is happily conceived, and done with a touch of real passion, but again it is a little too literary.

Eleanor M. Ingram's Zendaesque romance, entitled "The Game and the Candle" (Bobbs-Merrill Co., \$1.50), is fairly exciting, although the style and treatment of the story reveal the fallmarks of the neophyte in authorship. The hero, quite indefensibly, commits a felony in order to advance the interests of a lady. Then he is enabled to escape from Sing Sing through the connivance of a singularly opportune Russian Grand Duke, and accompanies the latter on his yacht to some mythical European realm, suggestive of Russia, where the two become involved in no end of political and sentimental complications. The quite unexpected denouement is the best thing in the book.

Frances Nimmo Greene's "Into the Night" (T. Y. Crowell and Company, \$1.20 net), is referred to by the publishers as "an absorbing tale of mystery, love and revenge." In truth the ingredients as specified are not wanting, although the story would have been more effective, perhaps, had these elements been woven together in a more restrained and less melodramatic manner.

The scene is New Orleans, which has long been a stronghold of the members of the deadly Mafia. The tale opens with the murder of Chief of Police Hennessey (an actual occurrence) by an unknown band of assassins, which awakened a tremendous wave of outraged feeling amongst the better class of citizens against the Italian population of the Creole city. Girard, a young lawyer, is one of the leaders in a popular movement to root out the Mafia and takes a hand himself in administering summary justice to the suspected assassins of the official. Subsequently Girard discovers that the family of the girl he loves is menaced by the Mafia, and after the tragic death of the aged father, the young man sets himself bravely to the task of solving a most baffling mystery, the accomplishment of which means more tragedy for the same family.

Francis Asbury Taulman of Hubbard City, Texas, wilfully disregarding his baptismal name in honor of the great Methodist Bishop, has attempted fiction in a novel entitled "The Poplars" (Cochrane Publishing Co., \$1.50), a tale of New (Continued on page 80)

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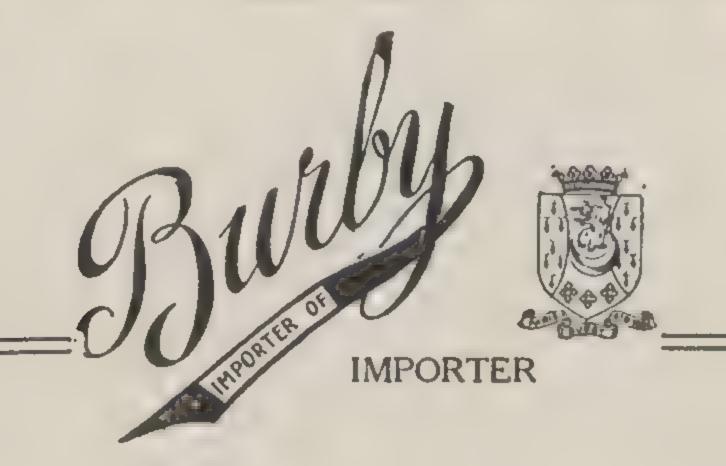
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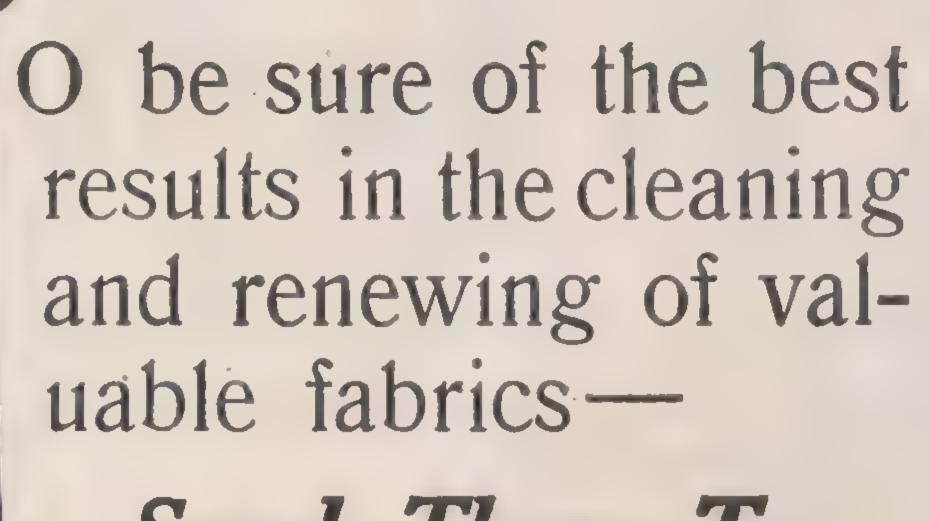
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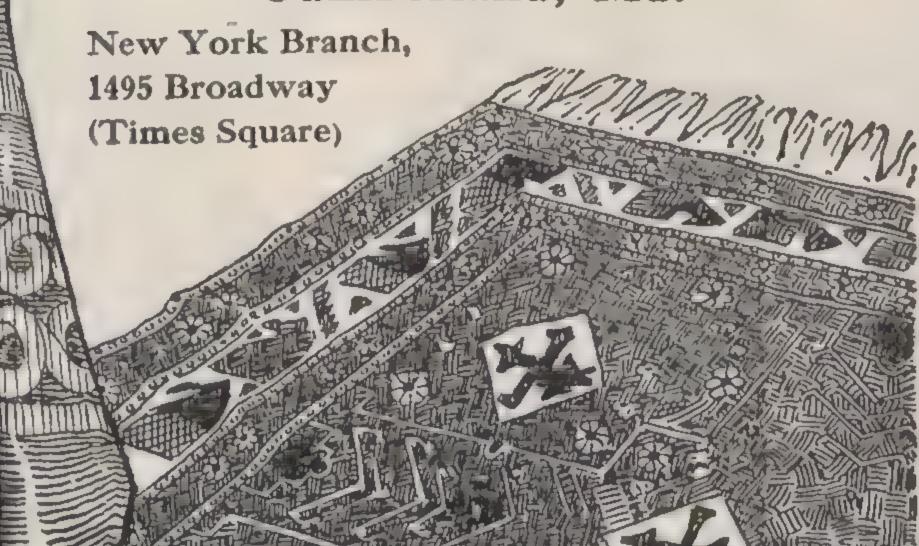
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"In the City of Beautiful Nonsense" (Dodd, Mead & Co., \$1.50), E. Temple Thurston has made a romance of a piece with the title. It is a love story of the most fanciful character, opening with a scene in a little Catholic chapel in Lincoln's Inn Fields, and carrying the reader to various parts of London and to Venice. One cannot help suspecting that the author has written a good many of his paragraphs by way of padding out a short story into a long one, and it must have been for a like purpose that he always refers to his young hero as "the journalist, the writer, the driver of the pen," which of course expands two words into a full line. Mr. Thurston's bits of description are for the most part happy, but his philosophy can hardly be called deep or convincing.

The author of "The Making of Bobby Burnit" ought to be ashamed of himself for producing such a crudely sensational story as "The Cash Intrigue" (Bobbs-Merrill Co., \$1.50). A capitalist of enormous wealth establishes a baking monopoly and by forcing the consumer to pay cash for bread succeeds ultimately in withdrawing the bulk of currency from general circulation. It is sufficient to add that the New York Stock Exchange is wiped out of existence, while the Republic of the United States is transformed into a vast empire. Mr. George Randolph Chester's latest story is indeed tawdry, although it is less offensive than the illustrations, and the especially vulgar slip-cover design.

LITERARY CHAT

MONG recent announcements by the Macmillans is the sixth volume of William J. Courthope's "History of English Poetry," which volume deals with the romantic movement and the great names of the pre-Victorian period in the nineteenth century.

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Among new religious books announced by the Macmillans are "The Ethics of Jesus," by President King of Oberlin College, one of the most stimulating moral teachers of the day; "The Gospel of the Modern Man," by Dr. Shailer Matthews of the University of Chicago; "Studies in Religion and Theology," by Dr. Andrew Martin Fairbairn, and "The Book of Easter," a collection of prose and verse upon the great festival of the church, compiled upon the same plan as that used in "The Book of Christmas."

Forthcoming new fiction announced by the Macmillans includes "The Tower of Ivory," by Gertrude Atherton; "A Modern Chronicle," by Winston Churchill; "Lost Face," a volume of short stories by Jack London, and "Kings in Exile," a volume of animal stories by Charles G. D. Roberts. The "Kings" of Mr. Robert' stories are captive great cats and like noble beasts removed from their native habitat for the entertainment of human spectators.

A book of unique significance because of its authors, is "How Animals Protect Themselves," announced by the Macmillans. This is a study of protective coloring by Abbott H. Thayer, the American painter, and Gerald H. Thayer, an enthusiastic hunter with gun and camera.

The Sturgis and Walton Company of New York announce "Roman Cities of Northern Italy and Dalmatia," by A. L. Frothingham, Ph.D., author of "Monuments of Christian Rome," a "History of the Confederate War," by George Cary Eggleston, an ex-Confederate long resident in the north and well-known as a capable writer: "During the Reign of Terror," which is the journal of Grace Dalrymple Elliot, who is referred to as a close friend of Philippe Egalite, an unkind thing to say of any woman; "The Fulfillment," a novel of St. Petersburg and Paris, by Alice P. Raphael, and "The Lost Art of Conversation," by Horatio S. Krans, being a compilation of excellent essays on social talk.

It is announced by John Lane Company that the anonymous love story, "Margarita's Soul," is the work of Josephine

Dodge Daskam Bacon, and that Mrs. Bacon is opposed to votes for women.

Cassell & Co. announce "The Shoulder-Knot," a novel of a mysterious incubus, by Mrs. Henry Dudeny. The same publishers announce a timely cookbook, "Choice Dishes at Small Cost," by A. G. Payne. The book is intended to show how waste may be abolished in the kitchen with advantage to the table and the pocket. Americans have long needed to learn such a lesson.

"The Third Degree," Charles Klein's successful play, has been published by G. W. Dillingham in the form of a novel. Arthur Hornblow collaborated with Mr. Klein in what we are learning to call the "novelization" of the play. Fastidious persons are a little slow to admit this word to the English tongue, perhaps because of a secret hope that the hasty turning of popular plays into somewhat mechanical novels will not persist as a mode of literature. No doubt though some of those who have seen the play and many who have not, will welcome it in its new form.

Duffield and Company announce spring novels by H. G. Wells, by Geraldine Bonner, by William Johnson and Paul West, who work in partnership, by Grace Isabel Colbron, and by H. deVere Stacpool. Mr. Wells's new story is to be called "The Adventures of Mr. Polly," the hero of which tale the author describes as "far more untrained and undisciplined than an ordinary savage." The same publishers announce that they will publish a long novel by Mr. Wells in the fall.

"The Diary of a Daly Débutant," announced by Duffield and Company, is the journal of an actress who was a member of Augustin Daly's famous company in the late seventies of the last century. It is said to be a faithful picture of histrionic life as it then was.

Recent Harper publications include Kate Langley Bosher's story, "Mary Cary-Frequently Martha," "In After Days," being views as to immortality by nine well-known authors; "New York Society on Parade," by Ralph Pulitzer; "Harper's Handy Book for Girls," by Anna Parmley Paret; Thomas Hardy's great novel, "The Return of the Native," in pocket-sized edition, and "The Great English Short Story Writers" in two volumes containing selected short stories of power and charm.

Ashton Hilliers, it is announced by the Putnams, his American publishers, will soon give to the world a new novel, or more strictly, romance, to be called "The Master Girl," as if there were any other kind of girl. The scene is laid in prehistoric times, when men won their wives by clubbing them into insensibility, and carrying them captive. It seems a pity that a man who can write historical stories so well as Mr. Hilliers should withdraw into the shadowy prehistoric region, but anything from his pen is likely to be awaited with interest by those who know his powers.

New fiction announced by Charles Scribner's Sons includes "The Glory of His Country," a story of the Civil War, by Frederick Landis; "The Taming of Red Butte Western," by Francis Lynde; "The Lifted Bandage," by Mary Raymond Shipman, author of that popular Lincoln story, "The Perfect Tribute," and "The Fir and the Palm," a tale of North and South, by Olive Briggs.

Some notable spring publications of the Scribners are "Privilege and Democracy in America," by Frederick C. Howe; "Switzerland and the Swiss," by Frank Webb; "The Smugglers," an account of illicit importation on the English coast for 150 years; "Hints on House Furnishing," by W. Shaw Sparrow; "Modern Belief in Immortality," by Newman Smyth, D.D.; "Romantic Corsica," by George Renwick, and "Promenades of an Impressionist," a volume of essays by James Huneker.

If all the publishers are to make and keep such promises as are found in the circular of one important house, the spring season will be one of unusual interest in fiction. One novel is described as "written in a distinctive and arresting style-vigorous and original, and at the same time poetic and controlled," another as "one of the most striking novels that has appeared in a long time," still another is a "powerful and vivid study," and yet one more is "an exquisite story of rare power."

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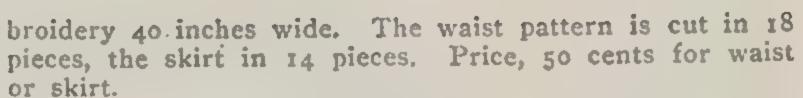
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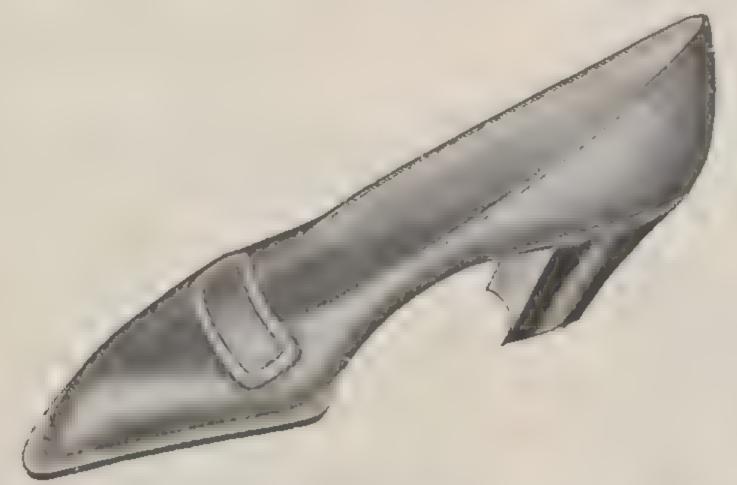
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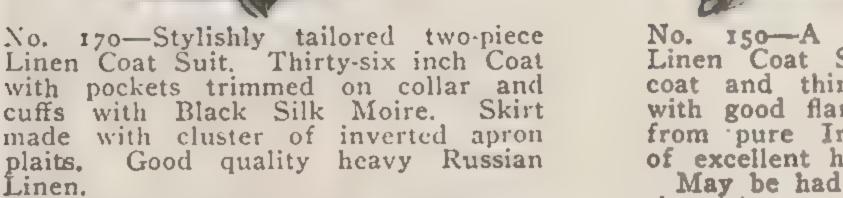


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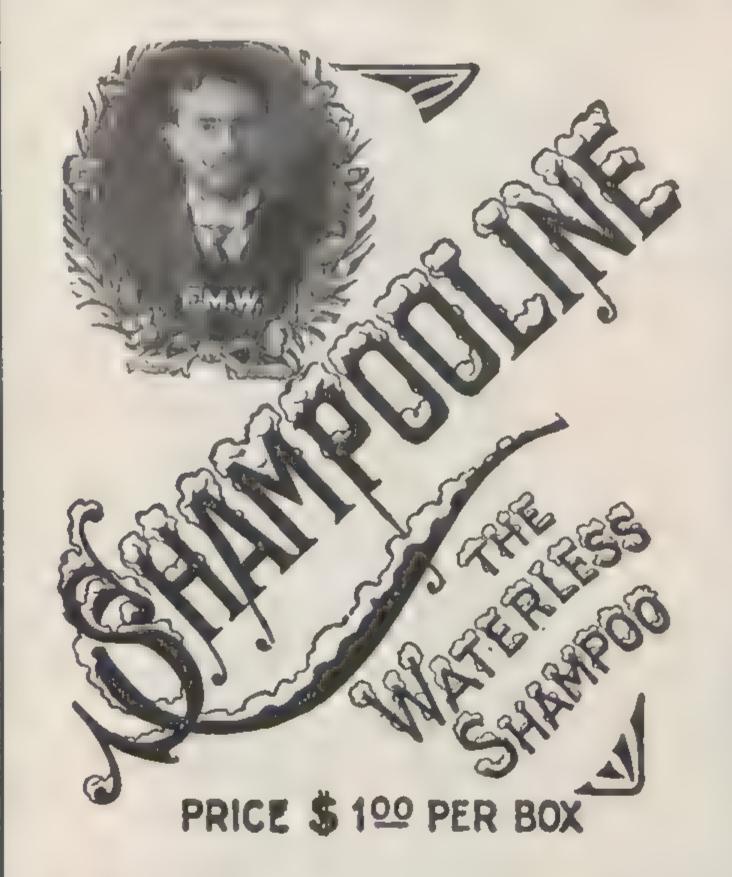
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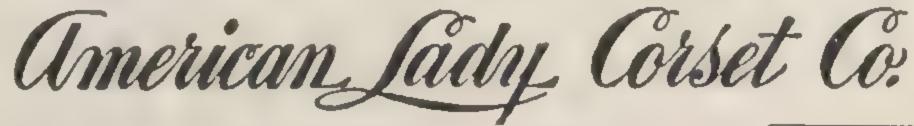
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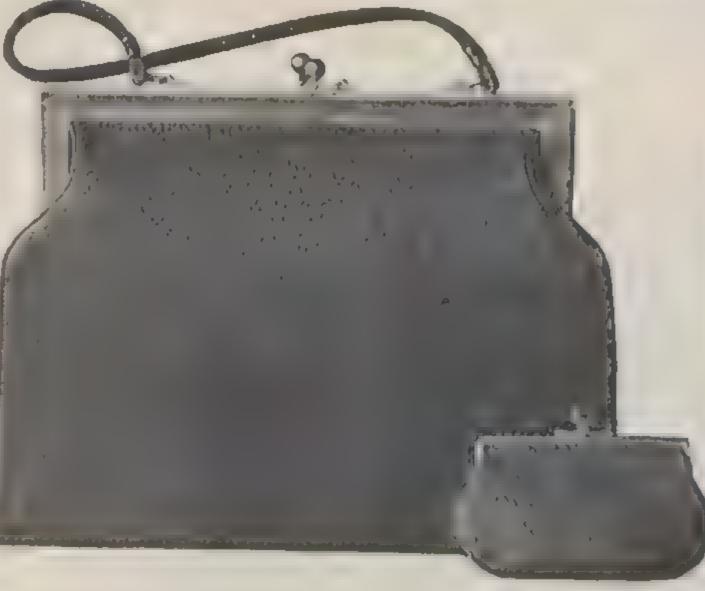
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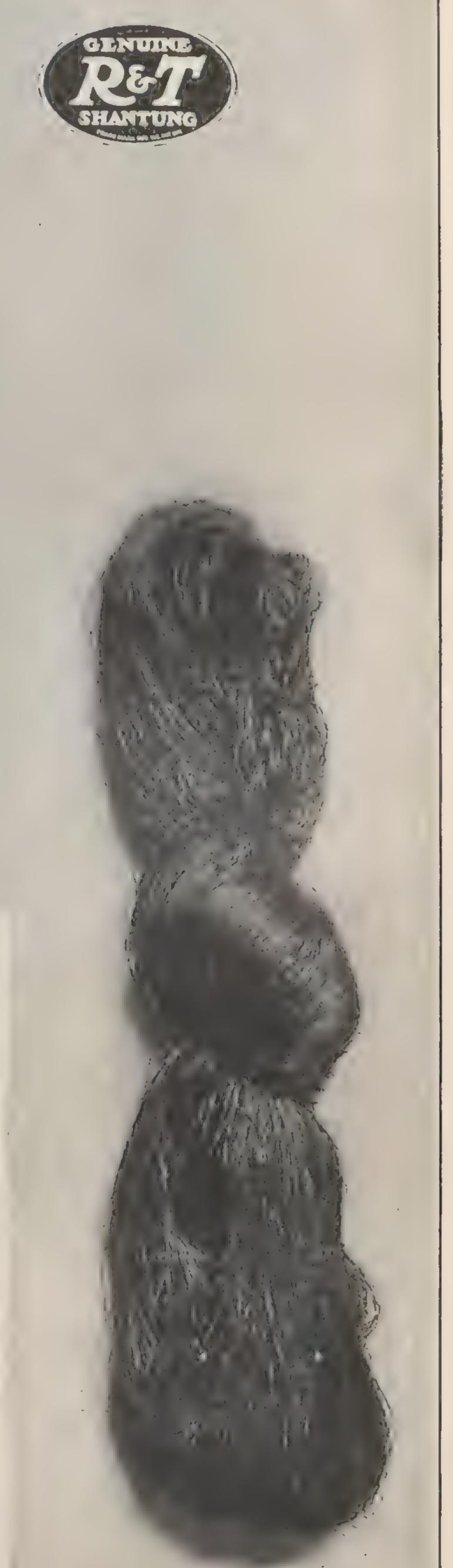
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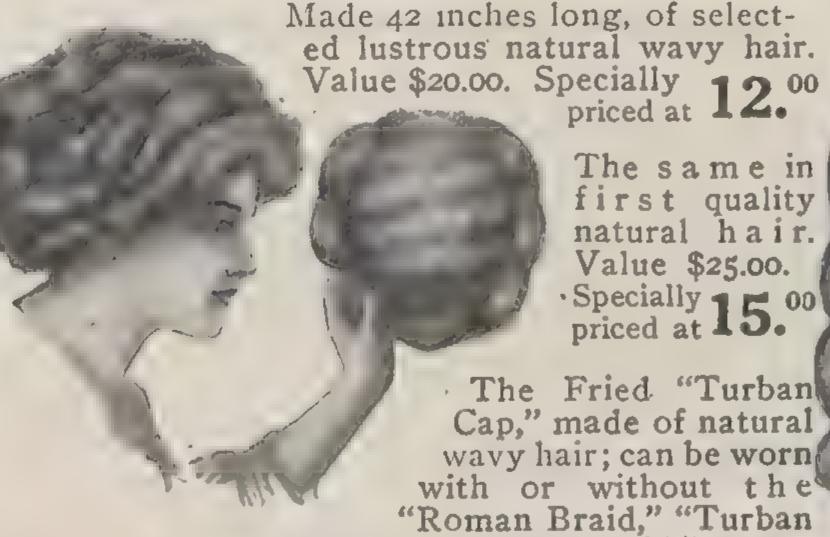
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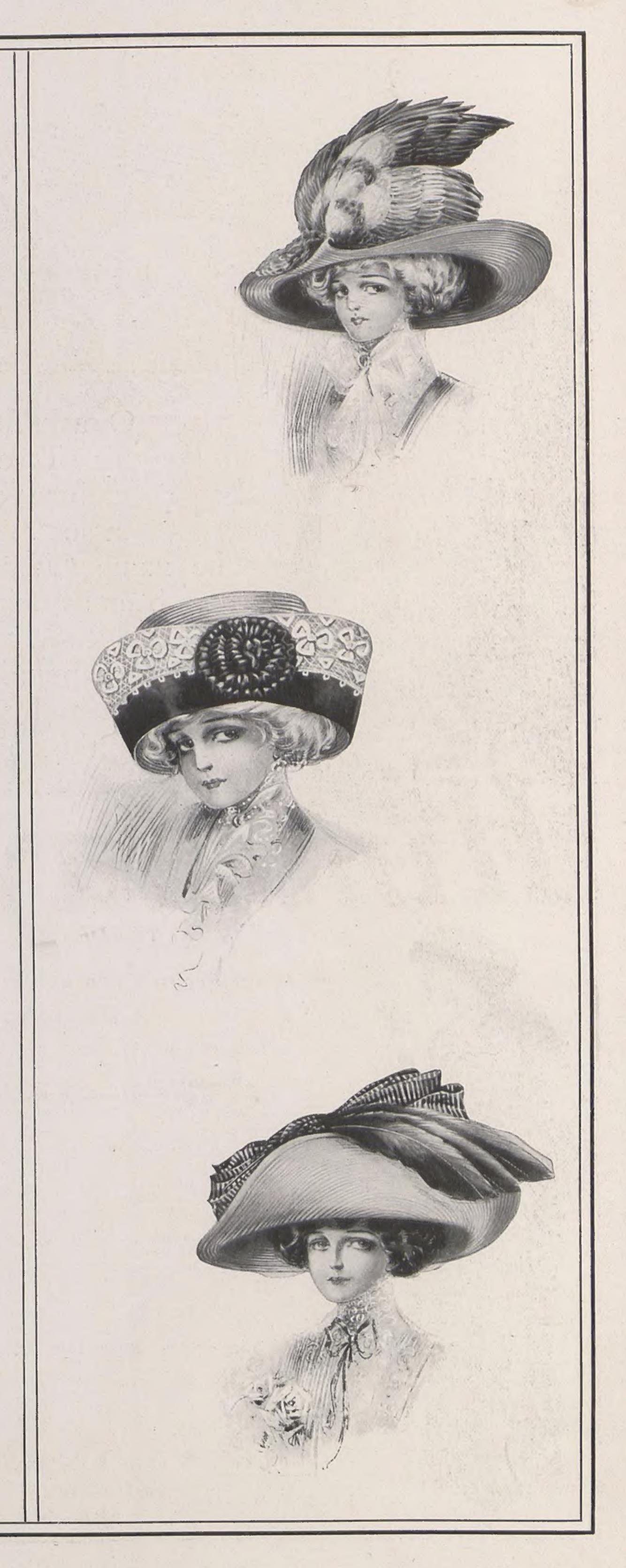
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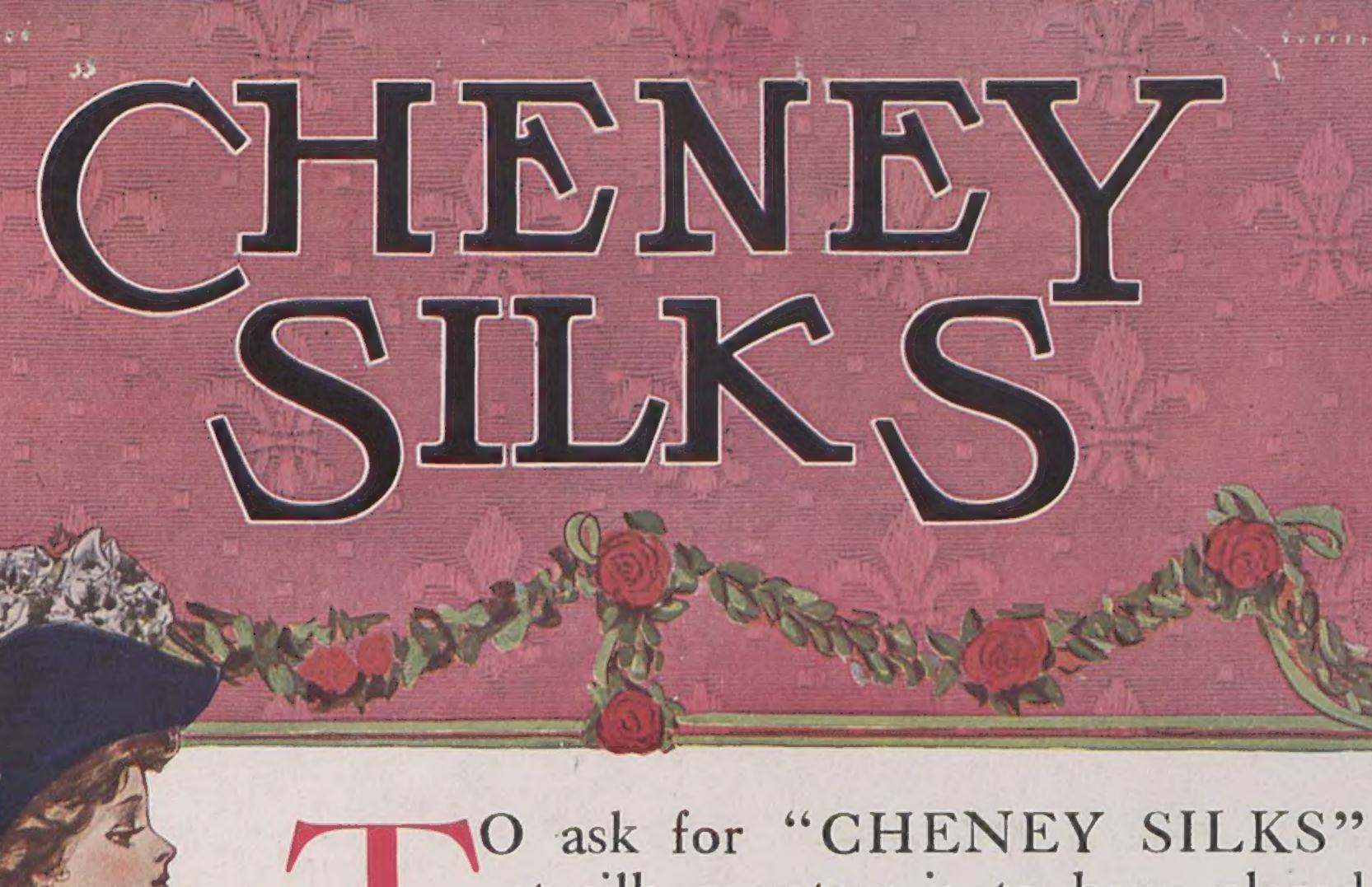
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